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TWENTY PAGES

Missing Aviators May Have Struck Island Mountain

Mooney Brothers Still Missing—Nothing Known of Movements Since Departure From James Island at Dusk Wednesday—Sidney Woman Tells of Plane on Salt Spring Island Peak

FEARS GROW FOR SAFETY OF TWO SEATTLE FLYERS

EDWARD and David Mooney, Seattle brother aviators, who left Victoria Wednesday for Anacortes in their seaplane, were still missing last night, while fear of the gravest character for their safety became more and more general.

Have the brothers suffered some minor injury to their machine in making a forced landing at some remote spot among the nearby islands, whence they have been unable to flash word to their arrival to John Mooney, their anxious father in Seattle?

Have they perished at last, after repeated fruitless efforts to reach their destination, in the waters separating Vancouver Island from the State of Washington? Or have they crashed against one of the mountain peaks which rear their heads from the thousand islands of the Gulf, to wander aimlessly through the woods in search of a settlement, or to leave their mangled, dead bodies beside their machine to tell the story of the disaster?

Sees Wrecked Plane
Lending color to the last-mentioned suggestion, in Sidney last night rumors were current that the remains of a flying boat could be seen on the top of Mount Tuum, one of the highest peaks on Salt Spring Island. The reports gained currency when Mrs. Wilson, the Japanese wife of a white resident of Sidney, informed F. L. Philp, Provincial police constable at Sidney, that she had seen a plane that afternoon on Mount Tuum with the aid of strong glasses. Before dark yesterday, Constable Philp went out with powerful glasses and him- self scanned the barren slopes of the mountain rising from the sea across Satellite Channel, but could find no trace of the object discovered by the Japanese woman.

No corroborated reports have been received of the movements of the two Seattle flying men, since they left James Island, where they landed to ask their whereabouts at 4:45 p.m. Wednesday, ten minutes later, in the growing dusk, in an anxious effort to make Anacortes before nightfall.

Their flying prior to that time had been as remarkably haphazard and fortunate as it has since been tragically uncertain.

Flight Since Sunday
The flight, on which last night they had been engaged five days, began at Seattle Sunday. Their destination was Anacortes, seventy miles or so distant by road or water, and little more than an hour away by plane.

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TRAGEDY LURKS IN CLUE TO MISSING

SIDNEY HOBBS' CLOTHING IS
FOUND AT EDGE OF LAKE

Straw on Boat House Floor at Margin
of Beaver Lake, Police Find
Remains of Missing Man

Tragedy loomed in the minds of searchers for Sidney George Hobbs when they found the missing man's clothing strewn about the floor of a boat house on the margin of Beaver Lake at seven o'clock last night.

On the theory that Mr. Hobbs had ended his life by drowning, British police will begin to drag the waters of the lake for his body at daybreak this morning.

The search for Mr. Hobbs has been carried on since he disappeared from his boarding house at 905 Cook Street on Saturday evening. It ended last night when Sergeant Rankin, of the British police, and Mr. G. D. Campbell, caretaker at Elk Lake, discovered the litter of clothing on the boat house floor.

A label attached to the coat of a gray tweed suit bore the inscription, "S. Hobbs, 905 Cook Street." The discarded clothing included a fawn felt hat with a black band, a fawn overcoat, a double collar and a tie, walking stick, black low shoes and a walking sock. On an undershirt a label bearing the name "S. Hobbs" was appended, seventy-five cents in cash, but no paper was found in the pocket of the coat.

Mr. Hobbs, about fifty-five years old and unmarried, gave no oral indication of his intentions when he left home on Saturday night, but he left a note addressed to a local clergyman and another addressed to the corner. In the latter he hinted at self-destruction and gave particulars of relatives. The missing man carried several life insurance policies which are in force at the present time.

Dangerous Iceberg Off Alaskan Coast Reported Menace to Navigation

SAN FRANCISCO, Nov. 20.—Reports were received here tonight that a large iceberg had been sighted today off Galiano Peninsula, Alaska, by the steamship Princess Mary. The message said that the iceberg was sighted midway off the peninsula in traveled water lanes, and was very dangerous to navigation.

Galiano Peninsula is approximately ten miles south of Juneau, extending south and east about twenty-five miles. Stephens Passage is formed by the peninsula on the west and the mainland on the east.

Deserted Wife and Child
VANCOUVER, B.C., Nov. 20.—Charles M. Hall, 26, was arrested here by Detective Killen for neglecting to provide a wife and child with food and shelter.

ANGLICANS PLAN FOR EMIGRANTS

Archbishop of Canterbury and
Bishop of London Now
Head New Line of Church
Endeavor

DEFINITE SCHEME TO AID SETTLEMENT IN CANADA

Canadian Primate Says, the
Dominion Synod Has Ex-
pressed Its Desire to Sup-
port Movement

LONDON, Nov. 20.—The question of overseas settlement is engaging the attention of the Bishop of London and the Archbishop of Canterbury. The Bishop of London, Dr. Ingram, says the Anglican Church is too much inclined to leave the matter of overseas settlement to the Salvation Army and other agencies.

Definite plans, however, are under way now, the bishop says, for the Anglican Church to take a part in guiding emigration, and the synod of the Church of England in Canada has expressed a desire to co-operate in this movement.

The Archbishop of Canterbury refers to the method with which emigration has been carried out in the past as a "haphazard" method. He says he hopes the Anglicans in this country will throw their strength into the matter of emigration, which is interesting the heads of the church.

WINNIPEG, Nov. 20.—Commenting on cable dispatches from London to the effect that the Anglican Church proposed to foster a scheme of overseas settlement, the Archbishop of Canterbury, Dr. Matheson, declared that the proposition had only reached a tentative stage, but that a definite step would soon be taken to bring a scheme into operation based on the overseas settlement agreement between Canada and the Mother Country.

Three delegates will be appointed by the social service council of the general synod of Canada to attend the national assembly of the Anglican Church, to be held in London next month. The church representatives will be selected from different parts of Canada, the archbishop said, and will leave for England early in December.

ALL INDIA OPPOSES OPIUM SAYS GHANDI

POPULAR LEADER WIRE VIEWS
TO NAUICOTIC CONFERENCE

Inspiring Appeals Against Traffic
Made by Speakers, Including
Two American Women

GENEVA, Nov. 20.—A lively incident marked the afternoon's session of the Opium Conference, when the Indian leader, Mahatma Gandhi, protested strongly against the declaration, alleged to have been made during the session by a British missionary that the Government of India did not represent the people of India.

The incident came as an unexpected climax of the meeting, which had been set apart for hearing the views of the world's private organizations on the opium and narcotic drug evil.

Inspiring appeals for effective measures for control were made by eight speakers, among them two American women, H. G. Alexander, a representative of the British Quaker Society, created something of a sensation when she announced that she had just received a telegram from the Indian leader, Gandhi, in which he declared:

"All India wants the complete suppression of the opium traffic, except for medical requirements, for the world's medical requirements."

After Mr. Alexander came the Rev. E. J. Dukes, of the British Society for the Suppression of the Opium Trade. It was Mr. Dukes, who is alleged to have made the remark about India which has offended Mr. Campbell, India's official delegate.

President Zahle intervened to say that he, as president, did not think that Mr. Dukes made the remarks which Mr. Campbell attributed to him, but Mr. Campbell insisted that notes had been taken by his delegation and there could be no doubt whatever.

After a spirited debate the conference adjourned until tomorrow.

U.S. Commissioners on Halibut Fishing in North Pacific Named

WASHINGTON, Nov. 20.—Henry O'Malley, United States Commissioner of Fisheries, and Miller Freeman, publisher of The Pacific Fisherman, of Seattle, were appointed today by President Coolidge as the two members for the United States on the international Fisheries Commission for the preservation of the halibut in the Northern Pacific Ocean.

Mrs. Harding Failing Rapidly

MARION, Nov. 20.—Mrs. Florence Harding's condition changed "markedly" since this evening, a bulletin issued at 9 o'clock by her physician said. "She is failing rapidly," he added.

Dismisses Libel Case



LORD DARLING

British jurist, famous for his wit, has dismissed the case of Lady Terrington, who brought an action against the London Daily Express for libel because that paper represented her as saying that she would wear opium, pearls and furs in the House of Commons if elected. His Lordship contended that the kind of clothes a woman wore in Parliament was of public interest. He also said that cartoons were really libelous in law, but that they made one laugh, and sensible people did not take offence at them.

SOVIET CLAIMS BIG CREDIT IN LONDON

KHANSIN SAYS BANK OF ENGLAND
ASSISTS MOSCOW

Extensive Financial Operations Carried
With British and American
Institutions, He Declares

MOSCOW, Nov. 20.—Leonid Krasin, who will leave next week for his post as Soviet Ambassador to France, today told employees of the consulate of foreign trade that despite the refusal of the British Government to grant Russia a loan the Bank of England has allowed the Soviet government credits amounting to \$85,000,000.

Ambassador Krasin also said that the Government was carrying on extensive financial operations with British and American banks. He predicted that next year's foreign trade would amount to approximately 100,000,000 rubles, even allowing for the non-export of grain. The Soviet government, he said, never would yield in its policy of retaining a monopoly of foreign trade, no matter how many attempts were made abroad to obtain this control.

PRINCE COMMENTS CANADA ON EXHIBIT

HIS ROYAL HIGHNESS WRITES
HIGH COMMISSIONER

Congratulates Dominion on Splendid
Display at Wembley, and Praises
on Excellence of Work

LONDON, Nov. 20.—The Prince of Wales, president of the British Empire Exhibition, has written a congratulatory letter to the Canadian High Commissioner with reference to Canada's part in the Exhibition at Wembley this year. "As president of the British Empire Exhibition," the Prince says in the letter, "I wish to congratulate Canada on the splendid display at Wembley of her resources and national life. Those who have never had any opportunity of seeing the great Dominion were able, on visiting your pavilion, to realize the great achievements and greater purpose of the nation."

"I trust that many practical benefits will accrue to the Canadian people from their participation in the exhibition. The benefits to the people of the home country are affording them a real knowledge of Canada, and an admission of question. Please convey to your exhibition commissioner (A. W. Toynbee) and all others who have taken part in Canada's striking display at Wembley Park my sincere thanks for their work."

BIG GRANTS MADE BY CARNEGIE FUND

MORE MONEY PAID LAST YEAR
THAN EVER BEFORE

King's College, Halifax, Secured
\$600,000 Donation—Other Hand-
some Sums for Canada

NEW YORK, Nov. 20.—Details of assistance rendered in Canada during the 1923-24 fiscal year by the Carnegie Corporation are given in the treasurer's report issued today. The report shows that the corporation paid \$600,000 to the University of King's College, Halifax, N.S.

The corporation apportioned other funds in the Dominion during this year as follows:

University of Toronto, for research relating to insulin, \$5,000; University of Alberta, insulin research, \$10,000; \$40,000 to the Canadian Institute for international mathematical congress, \$5,000.

Distribution Increases

More money was distributed by the corporation during the last fiscal year than in any previous year. The sum was \$1,248,415, and it returned to \$40,000 the outstanding obligations incurred by a three-year programme undertaken in 1923.

It was announced that the corporation would not positively identify itself in a dual role and cap after which both men (Belanger and Gauthier) faced the witness side by side.

Witness Not Certain

Thibodeau hesitated and then said nervously: "I looked very much like Mr. ... Mr. Gagnon—I mean Mr. Belanger."

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GENERAL STACK DIES OF WOUND

Governor-General of Sudan
Succumbs in Cairo Hospital
to Bullets of Egyptian
Assassins

NATIVE PRESS DENOUNCES CRIME AS STAIN ON HONOR

Death Arouses Intense Feeling
in Great Britain, and New
Cabinet Holds Special Meet-
ing on Crisis

CAIRO, Nov. 20.—Major-General Sir Lee Stack, Governor-General of Sudan and Commander of the Egyptian Army since 1919, was succumbed to the bullets of assassins. He died late tonight in a Cairo hospital.

The sirdar was attacked yesterday by a group of men, who, falling to his feet, fired a volley of bullets. General Stack was wounded in the abdomen, the hand and the foot, one of the bullets passing under the lungs. From the first his condition was serious and there were very slight hopes entertained that he would recover. After an operation performed yesterday, he passed a fairly good night, but the loss of blood was so great that two transfusions were necessary.

He remained conscious until the afternoon, then a change for the worse occurred and he gradually slipped away, dying about midnight. Lady Stack, who had been induced overnight to take a much needed rest, remained by her husband's bedside. The whole country is profoundly shocked at the outrage and the gravity of the situation is everywhere realized.

The press denounces the crime in the strongest terms. Zaghari papers unanimously demand the discovery of the culprits and their exemplary punishment. Nothing, they assert, will be neglected to wash away the bloody stain on the country's honor.

Thus far the assassins have not been traced, although several arrests have been made.

Attempt Revolt In Athens Is London Report

LONDON, Nov. 20.—An attempt to start a revolution in Athens was made tonight, according to a dispatch to The Daily Mail from that city. The attempt failed, however, the movement from spreading.

PATRIOT-PROMOTER APPEARS IN COURT

ALLEGED BRITISH COLONEL IS
CHARGED WITH FRAUD

George Hamilton, Organizer of Inter-
Empire Trade Congress, Secured
\$475 From Vancouver Lady

VANCOUVER, Nov. 20.—Describing himself as the recipient of letters from many exalted personages, including H.M. King George, in connection with his work as representative of a patriotic organization bearing the title of the British Trade Inter-Empire Organisation, formed for the purpose of examining resources in various parts of the Empire and interesting capital therein, George Douglas Hamilton, who stated he was a colonel in the army, appeared before Judge Cayley Thursday afternoon for trial.

Colonel Hamilton's alleged offense was the obtaining of \$475 from Mrs. Hattie Miller by false pretenses, and pretenses being alleged that he told the lady he had \$25,000 in the bank and that in return for various sums totaling nearly \$500, which she had handed to him, she would receive not \$500 but \$5,000. That he is alleged to have borrowed the \$25.

Court Wants to Know
"Can you tell me what you mean by saying to a woman for \$475?" asked the court.

"No. It is simply a matter of maintaining the organization for the good of the country," said Hamilton.

"You are talking rot," shot back the judge, whereupon P. Lyons, counsel for the accused, produced documents showing that the organization was incorporated in Victoria and was an actual fact.

Hamilton's defence was a total denial of Mrs. Miller's story that he had claimed to be the brother of Sir Ian Hamilton and son of Lady Louise Hamilton, or that he had told her the \$25,000 which he was expecting from home had arrived and was in the bank.

After cross-examination by the prosecution, Judge Cayley suggested that an adjournment be taken until December 10 to permit of witnesses being called.

Half Million Increase in
Settlers' Effects From
U.S. During Six Months

OTTAWA, Nov. 20.—From April 1 to September 30, 1924, settlers' effects to the value of \$1,219,329 were brought from the United States into Canada, compared with \$2,643,467 in the same period last year, an increase of \$1,424,138, according to the latest report of the Department of Trade and Commerce.

Premier Wavers on P.G.E. Scheme Under Hot Fire of Tories

Railway Debate Fails and Is Adjourned After Long
Discussion—Government Members Kick Over
Traces—Opposition Declines to Give Administra-
tion Blank Cheque for Plans to Dispose of Road

SECONDER OF ORIGINAL BILL LEADS IN REVOLT

FIRST blood during the present session was drawn in the House yesterday, and the victory went to the credit of the opposition and to its leader, Mr. R. H. Pooley.

The Premier's resolution, in substance asking the Legislature to accept responsibility in respect to any future disposal of the Pacific Great Eastern Railroad, and giving the Oliver government power to complete such disposal without ratification of the British Columbia Legislature, was subjected to a barrage of such vigorous Conservative fire that members of the government palpably wavered in their allegiance to their leader and, in spite of strong indications early in the afternoon that the question would go to a division, a motion to adjourn the debate was passed following nearly a three-hour battle.

Liberals Revolt

The climax of the Conservative victory was reached when, in answer to a rapid-fire question by the Conservative leader, Mr. H. G. Perry, Liberal, Prince George, seceder of the Premier's resolution, said point-blank that he was opposed to giving the government such a cheque in connection with possible disposal of the railroad. The statement called forth applause from the Opposition benches. It was indicated, too, that other members of the Government side of the House, as well as the Provincial Party members, were opposed to the principle of the Premier's resolution; and, while the Liberal members took no part in the debate, it was said in the corridors that they were prepared to line up behind the Opposition.

Whether Premier Oliver's resolution and the amendment thereto of the Conservative leader, should be discussed on the floor of the House or by committee of the whole, was the crux of the argument following the convening of the House. Mr. Pooley held that his amendment was an amendment of instruction to the committee of the whole, and as such, must be considered by the Legislature prior to going into committee. Premier Oliver opposed such a view, but was not prepared to submit the disagreement to Mr. Speaker for a decision.

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FRANCE CONCURS IN BRITISH REQUEST

WOULD PREFER DELAY OF
ARMS DISCUSSION

French Delegates Have Tentative
Plans to Present to Council,
But Need More Time

PARIS, Nov. 20.—The French delegates to the League of Nations Council meeting in Rome next month will concur in Great Britain's request for postponement by the council of discussion of preparations for the proposed conference for the reduction of armaments, an official spokesman for the Foreign Office said today.

Paul Boncour and the other French delegates, who are in Rome, have informed the Government that they have a plan ready to present to the council, but feel they would like more time to study and prove on it, and thus they welcome British suggestions for postponement.

RADIUM SEEDS SOWN IN CANCER

FIRST OPERATION OF ITS KIND
PERFORMED BY DOCTOR

Physician Tells Homeopathic Association
in Twenty-Second Days
Tissues Will Be Healthy

PHILADELPHIA, Nov. 20.—Tiny seeds, known as radium seeds, were sown today in an interior cancer at a clinic in connection with the annual convention of the Eastern Homeopathic Medical Association. The operation, said to have been the first of its kind in medical history, was performed by Dr. D. Hushord James, of this city.

The "seeds" are glass tubes about one-sixteenth of an inch long, containing emanations of the beta, or secondary ray of radium. Four were put in the centre of a cancerous growth in the stomach of a woman patient and a ring of them placed around the cancer to protect adjacent organs. For twenty-one days, Dr. James said the tubes would send forth curative influences, changing the diseased tissues into healthy tissue. At the end of that period, the tubes will have lost their strength.

Dr. James said he based his confidence in the experiment largely on the success of similar treatment in surface cancers.

Appointment Awaited of Hon. Senator Belcourt As Ambassador to U.S.

OTTAWA, Nov. 20.—The cabinet meeting called for this afternoon was postponed until next week. In view of this, several of the pending appointments will not likely be announced until next week. There are vacancies in the Justice Department and on the Board of Railway Commissioners, to be filled. It is stated here on good authority that the statement of Senator Belcourt's appointment to the post of Canadian Minister at Washington can be expected before many days.

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December 3rd is the last day to mail Xmas Gifts to England, Scotland and Ireland.

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Tiger Salmon, half-pound tin 11c	
Empress Marmalade, 4 lb. tin	70c
Canada Corn Starch, packet 10c	
Pacific Milk, large tin	10c
Marshmallow Fruit Sundae Biscuits, fresh made; regular 50c pound; on sale at	30c
Extra Choice New Dates, 2 lbs. for	25c
Cape Cod Cranberries, lb.	25c
New Eating Figs, 3 pkts.	25c
Jonathan Apples, per box \$1.05	
Choice Table Butter, 38c lb., 3 lbs. for	\$1.10
Lean Peameal Back Bacon, Piece or half piece, lb.	32c
Choice Mild Cheese, lb.	24c
Pure Leaf Lard, lb.	22c
3 lbs. for	65c
Grain Fed Pork Shoulders, Per pound	15c
Grain Fed Pork Legs, lb.	23c
Shoulders Young Lamb, lb.	28c
Legs Young Lamb, lb.	30c

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Sirloin Beef, lb.	22c
Prime Ribs Beef, 20c and 18c	
Boneless Rolled Roasts, lb.	18c
Choice Veal Roasts, Per pound	20c and 17c
Fresh Killed Boiling Fowl, per pound	25c

FOREIGN MINISTER TO ATTEND LEAGUE

MR. AUSTEN CHAMBERLAIN WILL REPRESENT BRITAIN

Will Be the Only British Delegate to Council of Nations at Next Meeting in Rome

LONDON, Nov. 20.—Foreign Minister Austen Chamberlain announced today that he would attend the League of Nations council meeting at Rome, December 3, as the head of the British delegation.

This announcement is taken as an indication that the Conservative Government's policy will be one of closest co-operation and support for the league. It contradicts the idea that the recent British request for the postponement of the armament protocol discussion at Rome was in any way connected with the possibility of non-support on the part of Britain for the protocol.

It was also announced that Mr. Chamberlain would be the only British delegate to the council, thus establishing a new precedent in a Foreign Secretary assuming the duties of a League delegate. Viscount Cecil, who had the last Conservative appointment as a delegate, it is understood, will act as Mr. Chamberlain's deputy if the latter is unable to attend the meetings in person.

COURT DECIDES TO SHIELD POTENTATE

THRILL IN LONDON'S LATEST CELEBRATED CASE

Mr. Justice Darling Insists That the Identity of £125,000 Victim Shall Not Be Disclosed

LONDON, Nov. 20.—Trial of the suit of C. E. Robinson, a former bookmaker, to recover £125,000 which he alleges a London bank owes him on account of a settlement with a mysterious Eastern potentate who had become over friendly with his wife, developed a new thrill today when Justice Darling, presiding, declined to permit the name of the wealthy potentate to be brought out in court and held that he should be known only as "Mr. A."

Justice Darling said that ordinarily he would not consent to the concealment of "Mr. A." name, but in this case, "for reasons of state not connected with rank," and in order that no scandal would be caused at the potentate's home he was allowing the name to be omitted.

Meanwhile, it was reported by well-informed sources that the unnamed "Mr. A." is one of the wealthiest young native princes of India. The trial is attracting widespread interest, and this morning a long line of the curious waited on the outside of the courtroom for the case to be resumed.

GERMAN LABOR LEADER SPEAKS

PRESIDENT OF TEUTON UNIONS TELLS OF CONDITIONS

Addres American Federation Convention at El Paso on Prospects in Europe

EL PASO, Tex., Nov. 20.—Spokesman for organized labor in England and Germany detailed the conditions of the American Federation of Labor today labor's contribution to the restoration of economic stability in Europe in the trying period of post-war reconstruction.

Peter Gramann, vice-president of the German Federation of Trade Unions, speaking for the workers of his country, pledged support of the Dawes plan for reparations adjustments.

In the execution of the plan labor's most promising pathway to the pre-war economic base and lasting peace, he said, he denounced Communism, which he characterized as a "mental disease" resulting of the terrible years of the war.

Five Years for Opium Seller
VANCOUVER, Nov. 20.—Jung, a Chinese servant, was sentenced to five years in the penitentiary on a charge of selling morphine and cocaine in police court this morning. Counsel for the Chinese indicated that an appeal may be taken from the sentence.

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Oddities in the News

Work for Russian Princesses and Counts—What Jewelry and Furs Will Do—Ten Years' Exile—Tobacco in England

BERLIN.—Members of the old nobility of Russia were used recently in a German film to re-enact court scenes which to them had been almost every-day occurrences prior to the uprising of Bolshevism, which drove most of them out of the country. Included in the group were several princesses and a number of counts who appeared in roles which brought back recollections of former times when great society events were regular features of life under the Czar in Moscow and St. Petersburg.

Many of these Russians, all exiles, still retain some of their raiment of other days, and this has been of great value to them in getting movie jobs where the performers must furnish their own costumes. The Russian women, particularly, have managed to retain numerous furs and jewelry, and on this account have been able to get employment at good pay where many German film actresses have gone without.

Because of this fact the German actresses have been talking of starting a movement to organize an actors' union and bar Russian actresses from membership.

STRASBOURG.—Ten years to a day since his departure from this city to join the German army, Charles Wolff, first posted as missing and later as dead, has returned to his home town.

In October, 1914, Wolff was called up for service in the German army. Made prisoner by the Russians a few days after he arrived at the front, he was sent as an agricultural laborer to the district, where he remained until peace was signed at Brest-Litovsk. He married a young Russian woman and purchased a farm in Siberia, 600 miles from the nearest railway station. He claims that the Bolsheviks robbed him of all his livestock, but he rode away on his last remaining horse, and after traveling for several months he reached Berlin, whence he was sent to Strasbourg.

Ten years' exile in Russia and Siberia has had the effect of changing Wolff's nationality, and the German soldier who left in 1914 has now become a French citizen. He will resume farming on the property of his father at Marmoutier, on the lower Rhine, and has sent for his Russian wife.

LONDON.—England will never be a tobacco growing country unless the present tastes of tobacco users change. The committee of the Treasury appointed to inquire into the tobacco industry and to report on the possibility of growing and marketing English tobacco said in its report that the English tobacco has a distinct flavor which is foreign to the acquired taste of the consumer, and, therefore, rarely appreciated by him. The trade, in fact, could never be profitable.

The committee does not recommend any further expenditure of public funds toward attempting to build a large tobacco industry in Great Britain.

SIXTEEN APPLY FOR ENGINEER'S POSITION

Victorians Included in List in Connection With Vancouver Sewerage and Drainage Board

VANCOUVER, Nov. 20.—Sixteen applications for the position of engineer to the Vancouver and District Joint Sewerage and Drainage Board were opened at a meeting of the board this morning. Each application was read and engineers without sewer construction experience and others not residing in British Columbia were eliminated. The list was narrowed down to the following from whom the new engineer will be selected at a special meeting called for 2 p.m. tomorrow: A. D. Creer, former engineer of the board; F. M. Preston, Oren W. B. Smith, Victoria; James M. Beggs, assistant engineer, Point Grey municipality.

The application of Joseph Slater, interim engineer to the board for the past three years since A. D. Creer relinquished the position, was also read but was not finally dealt with.

Yearling Percheron From E. P. Ranch Wins Prize At Royal Winter Fair

TORONTO, Nov. 20.—Winning first honors in a group of eight, Princeton Commodore, yearling Percheron stallion, bred on the E. P. Ranch, Alberta, was awarded the blue ribbon in his class at the Royal Winter Fair here today.

Princeton Commodore was bred on the Prince of Wales' ranch last year and sired by the imported stallion Job. Competition was close and the result in doubt for some time. The same horse will now be shown in the champion Percheron class next Monday.

Arrested Suspects Are Identified in Zurich

ZURICH, Nov. 20.—Two women arrested at a hotel on suspicion of swindling have been identified, the police announce, as Mrs. Genevieve Haddetford, divorced wife of a California oilman and her daughter, who have been involved in a number of police incidents in Vienna and Switzerland during the last two years. They were registered as Miss Healy, of London, and Miss Gray, of California, but carried passports under the name of Mackenny, mother and daughter.

LIBERALS PREPARE FOR NEXT CONTEST

CHIEF WHIP ANNOUNCES THE OBJECTIVE OF PARTY

Five Hundred Candidates Are to Be Placed in Field on Policy of Loyal Idealism

LONDON, Nov. 20.—Sir Godfrey Collins, M.P. for Greenock, Scotland, chief Liberal whip, announced that the Liberal party's objective is to place over five hundred candidates in the field as early as this can be done conveniently. Their candidates would be sustained by active propaganda and would be financed on a democratic basis. Their policy will be loyal idealism based on the realities of life.

Sir Godfrey says that the Liberals' severe defeat in the recent general election was due to their having placed the Labor leaders in office, which move was not properly understood by the electorate.

Still Three Millions in Party
The recent vote showed that there were over 3,000,000 Liberals still true to Liberalism. Sir Godfrey says, and these must not be allowed to drift to either of the other parties.

From other sources it is understood that the Liberals mean to fight every by-election, for, with only forty-four Liberal members in the House, the party cannot afford to compromise anywhere, more especially as the danger of Labor again being the head of the Government is now believed to be removed for many years.

AGRARIANS SEIZE MEXICAN GENERAL

ARMED CLASHES RECALL MURDER OF MRS. EVANS

Authors of Dead Woman's Troubles Make Prisoner of Federal Leader of District

MEXICO CITY, Nov. 19.—Enmities growing out of the case of Mrs. Rosalie Evans, who was assassinated last August, and for whose murder two men last week were sentenced to death, have culminated in disorders in the Huejutla district, State of Puebla.

According to advices here, agrarian forces under General Manuel Montes have captured an army of General Tautill, Mayor of Cholula, which is situated three miles west of Puebla City, and Tautill's brother, Manuel. They say also that General Felipe Gonzalez has been wounded in a clash between state troops and armed agrarians.

Inspector-General of Police
Tautill was serving as inspector-general of the Puebla police when Mrs. Evans was killed. It was stated, when the wholesale arrests were made, General Tautill was attempting to capture General Montes on the ground that the assassination of Mrs. Evans was the culmination of a six-year campaign to expropriate her hacienda by agrarians, of whom Montes is said to have been the acknowledged leader.

FRANCE TO DEMAND PRO RATA REBATE

WILL CLAIM SAME TREATMENT AS ACCORDED GERMANY

Reparation Obligations Cut Two-Thirds, and Paris Claims Similar War Debts Reduction

PARIS, Nov. 20.—Premier Herriot's attitude on the war debts of France will be the same as that of Premier Poincare when he was Premier, according to information from official circles today. When the question comes up at the conference of finance ministers next month, the French delegate will declare France intends to deal with the debts as a business matter without any appeal to sentiment, and will say that France cannot consent to be treated on a basis differing from Germany.

The French debts, it will be held, must be reduced in the same proportion as the French claims. Germany's reparations obligations have been cut down sixty-six per cent, according to the French figures, and the French will ask a similar reduction when it comes to funding their war debts, it is declared. This was always Poincare's contention.

Police Still Searching For Escaped Jewel Thief

MEDICINE HAT, Nov. 20.—Police are still scouring the country for Wm. Towers, the jewel thief, who escaped from custody when passing through Medicine Hat en route to Vancouver from Ottawa in charge of Detective Austrom. It is learned he doubled on his tracks and re-entered the city by way of the railway bridge. Inquiring his way on four different occasions, he crossed the whole city and gained access to the south country, where he may have made a clear getaway by means of the Crow's Nest Pass Railway.

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cupine region of Ontario, Charles Spearman, consulting engineer, told the Electrical Club here yesterday in an address in which he declared there was every reason to expect that the gold fields of this Province would prove as paying as those of Ontario.

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SEES INTIMIDATION AS EFFECT OF BILL

**MR. DESPARD TWIGG ATTACKS
MANSON AMENDMENTS**
Public Inquiries Act Change Would
Put Fear in Public Character
Truth, Member Declares

In moving second reading of his bill, Mr. Despard Twigg, member for Victoria, yesterday stated that the power given to royal commissioners to inquire into the motives of editors and others making charges against public men amounted to intimidation in the worst form.
"It is strong enough to prevent a man to attempt to bring out the truth for the public character," he said. "It is a blot on our statute books and if it had any relation to the inquiry held a year ago, it has served its purpose. It is too dangerous a weapon to leave in the statute books."
Mr. Manson moved adjournment of the debate.

Elections Act
Mr. Joseph Hinchliffe revived bill to require by-elections to be held within six months of a seat becoming vacant was spoken to briefly by Premier Oliver and then by Mr. Despard Twigg, member for Victoria, and Mr. P. P. Harrison, Comox.
Mr. Manson, as leader of the House, attempted to pass the bill while Premier Oliver was speaking, but Mr. R. H. Pooley, Opposition leader, protested that the Government was too fond of delaying private members' bills which could be debated only on Thursdays, and after some parley the order was reinstated.

The Premier said the bill was unnecessary now as he had introduced a bill to hold a by-election in Grand Forks, the only vacant seat, before the next session of the House, and suggested an amendment to the Elections Act could be considered along with other amendments the Government intended to bring down next session. All returning officers had been asked to give their views on the working of the act last election and the Government was watching closely and brought out in the three election petitions pending in order to strengthen the act if possible.

Division Nearly Called In House With Mr. Neelands' Bill Up

The division bell narrowly missed being sounded for the first time during the present session yesterday afternoon when Mr. Harry Neelands, Labor member for South Vancouver, introduced his resolution petitioning Ottawa to abolish the Senate. Following a brief introduction to the resolution by the mover, Mr. Speaker asked the question on three separate occasions before Hon. Mr. Manson, after taking a hurried glance at possible material to speak on the subject, adjourned the debate.

Mr. Neelands stated that his resolution was in keeping with the attitude taken by Labor during the past few years. When the Ottawa parliament was first created it was only natural, he claimed, that a pattern should be taken from the Mother Country. The only requirement for a person to be a senator was that he be thirty years of age and have certain property qualifications. In contending that the Senate had outlived its usefulness, Mr. Neelands stated that it had upset much legislation which had received sanction in the Lower House. Especially had this been so in the matter of amendments to the Industrial Disputes Act, amendments which had three times been passed in the Commons. The stage had been reached where the representatives should be duly responsible to the people, he held.

Premier Calls Probe Of Publicity Bureau Fishing Expedition

Claiming that no specific charges had been made and that it was merely a "fishing expedition" to try and secure some basis for the allegations, Premier Oliver indicated in the Legislature yesterday afternoon that he would introduce an amendment to the resolution of Mr. J. Hinchliffe, Victoria, calling for a select committee to sift into alleged wrongdoings in connection with the Provincial Bureau of Information. The Premier recalled that two sessions ago a similar request had been passed in the Commons, but that no charges had been made. The resolution, he claimed, conveyed the intense desire of the Victoria member to impose an inquiry. The Public Accounts Committee was the right and proper place, he contended, to look into the allegations, if any. Pending the drafting of the amendment, the Premier was granted leave to again adjourn the debate.

"It's a Boy!" and Col. Peck Is Congratulated

Congratulations were handed to Col. "Cy" Peck, V.C., Conservative member for the Islands, from the floor of the House on the arrival of a son at his home yesterday morning. Major Gus Lyons, a fellow officer with Col. Peck in the Canadian Scottish Battalion, rising to a question of urgent business, denied the statements from the Government benches that nothing constructive had been offered by the Opposition during the two weeks the House had been in session. Premier Oliver added felicitations from the Liberal side of the Chamber.

Income Tax Publication
WASHINGTON, Nov. 20.—The Baltimore Daily Post has indicated by the Federal grand jury today for publication of the income tax lists. The indictment is the first test case to be brought to the Federal grand jury to obtain judicial construction of conflicting provisions in the income tax law.

Matthews' Appeal Dismissed
TORONTO, Nov. 20.—Charles A. Matthews, Jr., former assistant Provincial Treasurer, sentenced here recently to two years in the Provincial Penitentiary for complicity in the Provincial bond sales scandal, was taken to Kingston Penitentiary this morning. An appeal against the sentence was dismissed by the Provincial Court of Appeal yesterday.

The Session

**The Premier Is Haunted—
The Ubiquitous P.G.E. Again—
Opposition Forces Win a
Point or Two—The Colonel,
the Major and a Certain
Happy Event**

The Press Gallery, Thursday.

The Pacific Great Eastern Railway, as unquiet as Banquo's ghost, haunts the troubled dreams of Premier Oliver. It is variously described in the House by vigorous, if unoriginal, members as a white elephant, a millstone, an all-starred enterprise, a Conservative legacy, a Liberal bug-bear, and even, still more strikingly original, a frightful drain on the resources of the country. But what it is to the harassed Premier, as was made sufficiently obvious by today's sitting, is a nightmare. It became evident today that the Premier was unable to dictate the procedure to be taken on the Government's proposition in respect of the railway, and while he plucked up spirit enough to denounce the Opposition, he could not dictate that procedure, he qualified his boldness, in the most forgiving and conciliatory manner, by saying that he had not attempted such dictation himself. "The devil was sick—the devil a saint would be," said the member for Mary Todd Island.

The psychology of the House is a fascinating study to the disinterested spectator, the only qualification to that statement being that there is probably no such variety of spectator extant on any level below the upper galleries of the House. It is likely that there is less difference of opinion, less partisan feeling, on the difficult questions of what is to be done with the P.G.E., than about almost any other question which will come before this session. It has been made evident that there is real desire among all members, on all sides, to deal with the question so that the railway may become an asset, rather than a sheer liability. Every member who has spoken on the resolutions before the House has prefaced his remarks with the declaration that the P.G.E. must be taken out of politics. And yet it is precisely upon the strategic situation precipitated by this discussion that the Premier finds himself obliged at every turn of it to accommodate his own policy at once to that of the Opposition, and to the strongly-indicated intentions of some of his own supporters that the Legislature, and not the Government, should be the makers of future railway policy. "No, it's not an insurrection, of course," said the member for Mary Todd Island, "but it comes mighty near to being a revolution."

The position is this. The Premier has introduced a resolution asking the House to authorize the Government to negotiate a half-defined sale of the road, on half-indicated conditions, to certain undisclosed, or potentially undisclosed, purchasers, the consideration to include a grant of lands to such purchasers, if and when they are forthcoming. The Premier wants this resolution committed to a committee of the whole House, for discussion in detail. Mr. Pooley, with the members of the Opposition enthusiastically, has offered an amendment to the resolution, the effect of which amendment, if it carried, would be to oblige the Government to submit a proposed scheme for the disposal of the railway to the Legislature for ratification. Mr. Pooley insists that the Government should submit a scheme until the House has decided which resolution shall constitute the policy of the Legislature. And there was not wanting evidence today that Mr. Pooley would let his way, and that the Premier would not dare to challenge a division on that specific question.

The Premier, casting about in this difficult pass for some safe means of soundings the temper of the House, lowered, raised points of order. He quoted May on Procedure, edition of 1872, to show that the amendment sought properly to come on in committee. May on Procedure, edition of 1872, fell flat. The Premier retreated, flinging a partisan shot at the Opposition, directing its tactics to an attempt to make party capital out of the question. Mr. Pooley asked the Premier to withdraw that expression. The Premier, withdrawing by indirection, admitted that he was not in a position to dictate procedure. This admission was made by way of disclaimer of any intention to dictate, with the admission, to preserve the amenities and the old trick in the hand, if that could be done, the position was not in a position to dictate. But when Mr. Pooley insisted that the House was not prepared to give the Government carte blanche with the P.G.E., the cheer from his own side was assisted by undeniable applause from certain prominent supporters of the Government. Then came Mr. J. H. Perry, Liberal member for Fort George and Deputy Speaker of the House, with an unequivocal declaration that he would not support a scheme, however desirable, which would place the railway in the hands of a private enterprise. He was followed by Mr. A. M. Paterson, senior Liberal whip, who observed to be assiduous along the Liberal benches, and there was no surprise when the Premier indicated that he would do nothing without the consent of the House. Very trying situation for the honorable first minister," said the member for Mary Todd Island. "But



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Two Liberal members, whose ridings are vitally concerned with the future of the P.G.E., spoke for the first time this session, and both were heard with sympathy. The first was Mr. Perry, Deputy Speaker, who wants the railway carried into his own riding of Prince George. He has a pleasing style of address, and his frank and modest statement of the need of the country traversed by the railway, and especially his appeal to the country on the strength of railway development should not be described, impressed the House. Mr. Perry is a veteran member, and he has no need to ask odds in the rough and tumble of debate. He was followed by Mr. A. E. Munn, the new Liberal member for Lilloet, whose maiden speech, delivered with some nervousness, obtained the sympathetic interest of the House when his maker said that he was no speaker, apologized for his inadequacies, and asked for consideration in virtue of the fact that he was sincere in his desire to make the members understand that the railway must not be abandoned in panic, that it had great possibilities, and that if the people of the Province, with courage and vision, would get behind the railway, it could be redeemed from its present condition. The House was ungrudging in the generosity with which it heard Mr. Munn.

The House was again reminded today that Major Gus Lyons, M.C., late of the Sixteenth Battalion, Canadian Scottish, C.E.F., was immediately behind Col. Cy. Peck, V.C., D.S.O., also late of the famous unit, and his honorable commander, and that there is a certain bond of affection between the youthful and junior member for Victoria and the old war-horse of the Islands. Major Lyons, gravely rising

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THE P.G.E. RESOLUTION

The attitude of the members of the Conservative Opposition on the Pacific Great Eastern resolution now before the Legislature is clear and distinct. In effect it is that they owe a responsibility to their constituents and that responsibility would not warrant them giving a blank cheque to the Government to negotiate the sale of the P.G.E. on any terms the Ministry may see fit to approve. After all, we have responsible government in British Columbia. The Conservatives are anxious, just as anxious as the members on the Government side of the Legislature, to relieve the Province of the burden that the P.G.E. imposes. They have expressed their attitude in this regard in unmistakable fashion. What they are not ready to do is to commit themselves to a Bill governing any proposed sale until they know the terms and conditions which it will contain.

The P.G.E. resolution in effect asks the Legislature to go into Committee of the Whole to consider the sale of the Pacific Great Eastern Railway Company and to ask the Lieutenant-Governor to submit a Bill for the sale of that railway on such terms and conditions as will be therein contained. On the face of it, this is an attempt to pledge the Legislature as a whole to something regarding the particulars of which the Opposition members are in absolute ignorance. It is an anomalous procedure and we do not think that there are many, if any, precedents for what the Premier proposes. The simplest course of the Government would seem to be to introduce its Bill for the sale of the P.G.E. and abandon the resolution. The members of the Conservative Opposition would then, we are assured, be ready to co-operate with the Government in every possible way, provided always that the terms contained in such Bill are equitable, and provided the safeguards to be applied in connection with any sale are rigid.

We reiterate that the stand of the Conservative members is an absolutely sound one. It is a stand that will appeal to the people as a whole, inasmuch as it is a stand to protect the people's rights, their resources and their pockets. The Conservatives, if they approved the present resolution, would have their hands tied when the Bill which it proposes is introduced in the Legislature. They do not want their hands tied in any fashion and they have no right to give the Government a blank cheque affecting an enterprise upon which the expenditure and obligations amount to some \$40,000,000, to say nothing of the losses incurred on operation each year. The Conservatives are responsible to their constituents for safeguarding the interests of the latter. They cannot be expected to vote until they know how those interests are going to be affected. The Prime Minister, the members of the Government and the Liberal caucus as a whole should see the wisdom of taking the entire Legislature into its confidence in connection with any and all matters affecting the welfare of the Province. The P.G.E. is British Columbia's largest financial problem and if it is to be solved it should be solved by the united wisdom of the representatives of the people, irrespective of party distinctions.

BRITAIN AND PROTOCOL

It is fairly obvious that the Geneva Protocol contains some new principle since the British Government has hesitated about its acceptance before consulting the Overseas Dominions. It is obvious, too, that before the Protocol is submitted to the British Empire it will be subject to amendment. Lord Parmoor, one of its authors, says it contains no new principle and that it is based on compulsory arbitration only in the sense that the Covenant of the League of Nations is based on compulsory arbitration. In effect what he means is that no nation is compelled to submit a dispute to judicial arbitration, but if it does then it must accept the award of the arbitral tribunal. This would seem to mean that no nation is compelled to accept the decision of the Council or the Assembly of the League of Nations, but if it does it is secured from attack by its adversary.

Lord Parmoor may be right in his inference, and he ought to know, but it is a somewhat different construction that has been placed on the Protocol by others, and notably by the present British Government. The main objection is to the operation of the machinery to be set up to enforce the decrees of arbitration. The question came up before the League of Nations as to where the British Navy would stand in the matter of this enforcement, it, of course, as the events of the Great War proved, is the greatest instrument of all where

military measures are designed. The British people do not want that weapon to be used in quarrels with which they have no concern. They do not want the taxpayers of other countries to pay the expenses of that Navy in any exploits in which it may be engaged. If there is one matter in which they are determined to maintain their own sovereignty it is that in which the disposition of the Navy is concerned.

Britain has interests all over the world. In considering her place in any League of Nations she has to view the matter from angles different to those which concern other Powers. Mr. Ramsay MacDonald has described the Geneva Protocol as "a charter of peaceful emancipation for industrial Europe." It is his own founding, so naturally he is enthusiastic over it, but in its framing it is noticeable that but little regard has been paid to the implications that might arise affecting the far-flung British Empire. It is significant that one of the first acts of the new Government in Britain should be to defer discussion on the subject of this Protocol. It is a matter that cannot be settled by a snap judgment. As it stands it requires to be amended both to meet world and British requirements. One thing is certain, namely, that the defensive agency built up through centuries by any one Power cannot be alienated to be made an "international policeman" at the bidding of any congress of nations. That is a dangerous principle which would have the effect of destroying the spirit which has made that defensive agency such an asset for the preservation of world peace.

NEW PROVINCIAL TAXATION

Dr. J. D. MacLean, in his Budget speech, said that there was no new taxation contemplated in British Columbia. He is wrong, because, it is proposed to issue a new motor licence which will be revocable for cause and each of these licences is to cost a dollar. Next year there will be probably from 40,000 to 50,000 motor cars in use in British Columbia. The number of actual drivers, when we take into consideration the different members of a family, the hired assistants of firms, etc., will probably number from 60,000 to 70,000. This means that an addition to the revenue of from \$60,000 to \$70,000 is contemplated and those who drive or own motor cars will be taxed to this amount.

Something would be gained, but by no means all that is required, by the issue of motor licences which are revocable for cause. What is more necessary still is that all drivers of motor cars should have to pass a test, and that such test should be satisfactory to the authorities. The Government owes a duty to the people in the matter of the preservation of life and property. Indeed that duty should be the main function of government, and that is why in the matter of motor travel it should engage in a policy which will prevent accidents instead of merely providing for new punishments when they occur. As it is no new motor licence is necessary at all to insure the punishment that is devised in the matter of such licences being subject to being revoked. The existing licence could be operated upon in just the same way. There is no need whatever for so-called "automobile courts." They will just be an added wheel to the coach of law, and, probably, the medium for finding employment for Government favorites. They will be costly courts and they will do nothing that cannot now be done in the regular courts of the Province. The new taxation, implied in the proposed motor licence fees, should be abandoned. The existing legislation can be very readily amended to provide for all that is wanted in the way of punishing erring, careless or unlucky motorists. What is wanted, more than anything in the nature of punishment is preventive methods, such as the testing of motorists before they are permitted to take out a licence. The Government should concentrate its attention on a more salutary way of dealing with the problems of the time than by merely providing punishments and inflicting new taxation whenever the opportunity arises.

The election argument of the Labor Party in Britain that Russian trade was of the highest importance to solve the question of unemployment fell to the ground when faced by economic facts. That was probably the reason the people voted as they did. The matter was summarized by The London Times in the course of the election campaign as follows: "Can the Empire take what we make? It does take what we make; takes more of what we make than all Europe put together. New Zealand takes £15 per head of her people a year; Australia almost £10. During the last three years the fifteen millions of our own countrymen in Canada and Australia took more from us than the 170,000,000 of the United States and Germany. During the last four years the 5,600,000 of our countrymen in Australia took more from us than the 70,000,000 citizens of the larger Germany in the best years before the war. Yet the Labor Government, the Labor speakers and the Trades Union Council tell us that the Russian trade is of supreme importance to our unemployed. Why? Clearly not upon economic grounds. A famous election once was won on the cry of '40 for 40.' But an election on the slogan of '44 for £15? It hardly looks attractive."

Note and Comment

By R. B. D.

Taking one consideration with another and surveying the situation from every possible angle, we have reached the conclusion that possibly the condition of the man or the woman who cannot afford a motor car these days is just as happy as the condition of the man or the woman who can afford a motor car.

We can remember very distinctly a time when owning a motor car was not so expensive a luxury as owning a motor car is at the present time. We also can remember very distinctly a time when driving a motor car was not so complicated and dangerous a pastime as driving a motor car seems to be at the present time.

In the happy time we remember about the only menace to be met on the highways was the woman who was learning to drive a motor car. In those delectable days there was not a road upon Vancouver Island wide enough to meet the devious requirements of that woman in that motor car. The only thing to do when you met a woman driving a car was to guide your own machine into the ditch and await eventualities. That is what we always did, and probably that is why we survive to tell about it.

But woman, resourceful and unquenchable, has surmounted all the difficulties incidental to driving a motor car. She is a better driver than the majority of the men, according to experience and mortality statistics. She is no longer a terror upon the highways. Most of the menaces and annoyances which have succeeded her are the sole creation of the mere male motorists.

We believe male motorists are the most altruistic beings of all animal creation. Most of the taxes imposed upon motor cars and upon materials necessary to the operation of motor cars have been imposed upon the suggestion of motor car owners and drivers. We warned them about what would happen if they asked for a tax on fuel oil. We told them that they would have to pay that tax, and that the Government would grab the proceeds of it. That is precisely what has happened.

Now the motor car owners and drivers are asking for the imposition of a new tax. They are asking for a tax upon all persons, whether men or women, who drive motor cars. Of course the Government will jump at the chance of imposing a new tax. It is always eager for an excuse for imposing new taxes. It is as hungry for more money as Oliver Twist was for "more." The more money it has the more money it is in a position to distribute in the places which will do it the greatest amount of political good. Therefore we can imagine the boundless rejoicing there is in the councils of the Government and in the ranks of the supporters of the Government when a petition is presented asking for the imposition of a new tax.

Now we must not be understood as opposing the proposed tax on drivers of motor cars. We understand and approve of the principle of this tax. The idea behind it is good. The reckless motor car driver must be checked in his furious career. He cannot be checked unless officialdom gets a grip upon him. Therefore the purpose is to number him and put his number in a cabinet or something for future reference. If he offends persistently and beyond forgiveness he may lose his number and become an outlaw.

But, according to our understanding of the matter, the Government is going to establish a new set of machinery for dealing with offenders against the new motor law, and create a new set of officials to operate that machinery. It is going to set up special courts and appoint special judges to deal with law breakers. Now the judges of our established courts may be overworked, but they do not appear to be laboring so hard that they are breaking down under the strain. They are not, as a rule, working overtime to catch up with the arrears of the business of the courts. Consequently the man on the street wonders why it is that the Government never seems to think of applying new taxes to the reduction of old taxes, taxes which are a weight on the flesh and an oppression to the spirit of the taxpayer. In point of fact, the people are clamoring for reductions in taxation, and just as soon as the Government gets some cash on hand, instead of considering the possibility of reducing taxation, it begins to look around for some new way of spending that surplus cash. Verily the ways of Governments are past finding out.

The complications and problems of prohibition seem to be almost as numerous as the sands upon the seashore. We are continually being confronted with these complications and problems in Canada, and our neighbors in the United States are continually being confronted with them too. According to an official ruling from Ottawa, Canadians may brew as much ale as they please, and brew it up to any strength they may think fit, provided the brew is entirely for use within the household of the brewer. But if they undertake to place their stout or lean ale upon the market they will be liable to dire pains and penalties. A recent ruling of an American court upon a case of domestic wine production has caused some speculation over there.

We are interested in all those prob-

lemis, not because we are addicted to the use of beer, wines or spirits, but because we are curious to see what the ultimate outcome of this new social vagary projected into the political field will be. We are thankful to say we are so constituted physically that we cannot understand the craving for stimulants that appears to be so general amongst the people of this continent. But we are convinced that the thirst of a large number of the people is so consuming that the effective enforcement of prohibition is impossible.

Canada's Story Day by Day

By BLODWIN DAVIES

NOVEMBER 21
The Treaty of Washington, which was signed in 1871, settled several outstanding differences between Canada and the United States, including the San Juan Islands, the San Juan boundary, and certain problems of navigation. It also provided for the appointment of a commission to adjudicate upon Canada's claims for compensation from the United States for the use of Canada's famous fishing grounds. Sir Alexander Gait, who was Sir John A. Macdonald's first Minister of Finance, was Canada's representative on the commission. E. H. Kellogg was the United States representative, and D. D. Phelps, the Belgian Ambassador to the United States, was the chairman. The commission met in Halifax, and as a result of their deliberations, decided to ask the United States to pay Canada \$5,000,000 for the use of the fishing grounds for twelve years. The award was officially made on November 27, 1877. It was almost a year later, on this day in 1878, that the award was paid.

Today, November 21 Is the Anniversary of:

Birth of Edmund, Lord Lyons, British admiral, who commanded the fleet in the Black Sea during the Crimean War; Christopher, Hampshire, 1780.
Death of Marcus Licinius Crassus, Roman triumvir; slain in Mesopotamia, 53 B.C.
Death of Eleanor, queen of Edward I; 1291.
Death of Sir Thomas Gresham, famous financier, founder of the Royal Exchange and the Gresham College; London, 1579.
Death of Thomas Shadwell, the poet; Chelsea, 1692.
Death of Henry Purcell, noted English composer and organist of the Chapel Royal; Westminster, 1695.
Death of James Hogg, the Ettrick Shepherd, celebrated Scottish poet; Altrive, Berwickshire, 1835.
Accession of Sir John Thompson to Premiership of Canada; 1892.
Retirement of late Hon. James Durnan, from Premiership and succession of late Hon. E. G. Prior; 1902.
Surrender of the German fleet to Britain; 1918.

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Nestling in the deep, blue waters of the broad Pacific Ocean, and surrounded by a fairy ring of coral reef, there lies a veritable island paradise, where the cares and worries of life are forgotten, and where the natives live a happy and care-free existence.

The name of this island in Moorea, it belongs to the celebrated group of islands known as the Society Islands, and is situated in the Pacific Ocean, some 1,500 miles from Tahiti. The people of Moorea are still unspoiled and unswayed by the white man; and being in a cabinet or something for future reference. If he offends persistently and beyond forgiveness he may lose his number and become an outlaw.

The natives speak no English, but the great majority of them understand and speak French fluently, due to the fact that they belong to France and are ruled by a local French representative. They are among the cleanest people in the world and bathe at least three times a day in the clear streams of water that flow down from the mountains. Nobody works in Moorea. The people, having no responsibilities, are interested only in fishing, gathering fruit and making copra.

Fruits of all kinds grow in abundance all over the island. Coconut, breadfruit, oranges, pineapples, etc., may be found on the mountain slopes of this beautiful island. Game is also plentiful in the mountains and the streams are just teeming with all sorts and varieties of fish, from sharks to minnows.

The simple and primitive natives of Moorea, who would call "The life of Riley." They build their own houses, make their own clothes from the leaves of the trees, and, however, they feel hungry, they just go out and kill a wild pig or a wild chicken.

R. DIBLEY ACQUITTED OF ALL CHARGES
After a long-continued defence against charges that have been levelled against him, Raymond Dibley was yesterday acquitted of the last of them. Early in the proceedings a conviction was secured against him on one count, but this has been disposed of on appeal to the Court of Appeal. The decision in this case was announced by his counsel, Mr. R. C. Lowe, yesterday.

The breakdown of the private prosecution had in the end altered the situation, and the charges were made before the Court of Appeal following this to show that in the face of the evidence as it now stood the conviction was not warranted. It was accordingly quashed.

The dropping of further action for the prosecution was announced by Mr. R. C. Lowe, and Magistrate Jay yesterday dismissed the remaining charge.

Letters to the Editor

No letter to the editor will be inserted except the proper signature and address of the writer. This rule admits of no exceptions.

The Freight Rates Case

Sir,—From the reports of the Premier's speech of the 13th inst., he appears to think that he has triumphantly refuted the critics of his attitude over the freight rates. He considers that his arguments are conclusive when he says that the export rate on grain is 22 1/2 cents per hundred, and to charge 41 1/2 cents for home consumption is an injustice. He omitted to tell us that the C.P.R. must be carrying grain for export on a charity basis, as no railway company could possibly get working expenses out of a rate which works out at three-quarters of a cent per ton per mile. It is true that the National Railway Commission is carrying the same rate, but its losses are paid by the taxpayer.

It is useless to follow further the Premier's arguments, because he is law unto himself. He tells only one side of the case with deliberate intent to excuse the waste of public money in employing Mr. McGee, and because of the costs of his own jaunts.

The expensive Railway Commission which is charged with the duty of seeing that no injustice is done in the matter of freight rates, should be scrapped if the Premier is right. Mr. Mackenzie King, who sits the same political pot as our Premier, has the power to remove the Commission for cause, but does nothing, because he knows that Mr. Oliver is bluffing.

The member for Cowichan-Newton is right when he says that the question of rates was properly one between the railway companies and their customers. It is scandalous that the Premier should have should use the taxes taken from the C.P.R. to subsidize an attack upon that company. That is the kind of money game which is keeping capital away from British Columbia.

Following the Premier's lead, Mr. Charles Woodward attempted to justify the expense of what he called "the Premier's freight rate fight," his argument being that lower cost of feed would benefit the farmers. Does Mr. Woodward will find that when feed is high price of farmers' produce rises; when feed falls, down goes farmers' prices. Does Mr. Woodward know that if freight rates were abolished, that the cost of the production of a pound of butter would amount to about three cents? Would the poultryman be any better off if he went to the States, where there would be little or no freight on feed? He would get about half as much for his eggs as he does here.

These remarks do not pretend to be more than approximations, but before Mr. Woodward can form an intelligent opinion as to whether money has been wasted on the freight rates case, he ought to be able to figure closely on the matter and give evidence in support of his assertions. Mr. Woodward is said to be a shopkeeper in a large way of business. Probably for handing a pound of butter over the counter he receives five times as much as freight enters into its production. Being a successful business man, we may assume that his charges are fair. Under such circumstances would Mr. Woodward consider it right that his tax should be used in feeding counsel to rake his business over his public and otherwise harass him? Does he think that would encourage enterprise and attract capital to the province? The railways are being harassed at their own cost, and the joke of it is that Mr. Woodward is supporting the Premier in an attempt to sell a railway in B.C. Who is going to buy a railway where it is an industry to carry grain at the rate of three-quarters of a cent per ton per mile? Who is going to buy a railway that is losing three millions a year?

Just one more question to Mr. Woodward: Great claims have been made of the savings effected by the Premier's freight rate bluff. Would Mr. Woodward please tell us what reduction he has made in his wages to his customers as a result of reduced freight rates? Of course we know that a charity rate of grain has helped the Prairie farmer and been of some benefit to Vancouver, but that has been effected at a further loss to the National Railway, which has to be met by the taxpayer, and there is neither credit or reproach to the Premier for that.

TRIVYOR KENNEDY.

Cobbie Hill, B.C., Nov. 13, 1924.

Tradition and Heritage of Presbyterianism

Sir,—The doctrinal system of the Presbyterian Church is known as Calvinism, because John Calvin was its ablest exponent. It differed from other Protestant systems, and from the Basis of Union in terms which follow:

1. In predestination or the unconditional aspect of God's sovereignty, grace in contrast to the conditional aspect of foreseen faith and obedience.

2. In limited redemption which secures salvation to the elect only, in contrast to universal redemption which involves the larger hope.

3. In regeneration wholly by the Holy Spirit, to which, as the Holy Spirit is passive, in contrast to men's active co-operation, which confounds regeneration with conversion.

4. The inability of the sinner, while recognizing his creation in the image of God, his possessing a knowledge of God and of duty, and his responsibility, to comply with the moral law and with the gospel.

These four-fold distinctions, like the four points of the compass, are the Christian mariner's compass, preventing shipwreck on the stormy ocean of many shipwrecked beliefs stranded helplessly on the barren shores of time.

Calvinism starts from the principle that man's salvation must proceed from God, and must necessarily overcome the evils from which man suffers. Arminianism starts from the principle of the light of nature and the man's election is conditioned by his foreseen faith and obedience.

FIFTY YEARS AGO TODAY
(From The Daily British Colonist of November 21, 1874.)
Nearly a serious accident—last evening at seven o'clock, as the Lord Bishop of Columbia and Mrs. Hill were driving past the house of the late Mr. Hill, a dog going in the opposite direction struck the hind wheels and tore the rubber from the axle, and the vehicle was seized by a bystander, and the occupants got out, escaping injury, and walked homeward. The escape from a fearful accident was very narrow.

Amongst the passengers by the Pacific Coast Express, last May, Mr. Lawrence, brother of Mr. Lawrence, was killed.

Forty-three robbers entered the home of Mr. Carnegie, manager of the Bank of British Columbia, and seized the money, his wife and children, and departed for the bank with the loot. Mr. Carnegie got the rest of his money and the alarm, and the robbers were caught.

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Calvinism says that God has by a sovereign decree predestinated certain of the human race to eternal life, choosing them for this and his own cut in two and the department being directly under the supervision of the mayor and aldermen, the money would be spent as the majority of the taxpayers directed. In my opinion, largely for industrial publicity.

For there is no shadow of doubt that the taxpayers of Victoria are awakening at last to the fact that the payroll all the year round is the thing we want most of all and that we must attract industries as well as tourists.

If I am elected mayor I shall appoint a committee to see that a very special effort is made, not only to attract new industries, but also to keep the ones we have already. This latter view of the situation is, I regret, often overlooked.

W. H. WILKINSON.

2743 Quadra Street, B.C., Nov. 17, 1924.

Municipal Election

Sir,—I notice the usual cry and abuse is being handed out to the aspirants for civic office, and I cannot for the life of me understand why those so interested will not honor the city by offering themselves as candidates. Among the men who are offering such good suggestions are many who are held in the greatest respect among us taxpayers, and could well afford the time and services without remuneration, although I am sure no taxpayer would expect anyone holding such a position to be out of pocket.

Come along, members of the Real Estate Board, and help solve the vexed land problem; it's up to you to follow up your good intentions.

A. B. WELBY.

"Lona Tree," Sooke, B.C., November 17, 1924.

Industrial Publicity

Sir,—I must congratulate you on your editorial references to "Industrial Publicity." There is a growing doubt in the minds of a large number of taxpayers as to the wisdom of expending such large sums of money solely to induce tourists to visit Vancouver Island for about two months in the Summer.

I would like to point out that the C. P. R. is spending over \$250,000 on the Amusement Centre and are told that it intends to enlarge the Empress Hotel. The C. P. R. is also taking a very lively interest in a grain elevator, docks, etc., in Victoria, so with these two influential companies vitally interested in advertising our many attractions, to say nothing of government control, would it not be wise to use at least half the amount now spent on tourists in an entirely new direction, namely, solely for industrial development, for it is absolutely absurd for anyone to say this has already been done.

The opinion is often expressed that our publicity is getting, to say the least, out of hand, soon "the tail will wag the dog." If it is considered good business to spend \$25,000 to \$30,000 of the people's money in publicity, industrial or otherwise, why should it not be administered from the City Hall under the direct supervision of the duly elected representatives of the taxpayers? We have our engineering department, our treasury

department, etc.; why not a publicity department? under a paid departmental head. The overhead expense for salaries and traveling could be cut in two and the department being directly under the supervision of the mayor and aldermen, the money would be spent as the majority of the taxpayers directed. In my opinion, largely for industrial publicity.

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The Substance and the Shadow

THE great objection to the pre-war Timber Royalty Act of 1914, which is still on our statute books, is, that unless it is revised before January 1st, 1925, it threatens to upset completely the present relations between the people of British Columbia and the industrial force that is the principal mainstay of their prosperity.

The British Columbia lumber industry is seeking no reduction of the existing royalty rate; it is merely asking the right to carry on the great task of harvesting the timber crop of this Province and distributing it in the competitive markets of the world.

The Act of 1914, unless amended, would throw the monkey wrench into this whole machinery of progress.

The 300 per cent increase in rates it contemplates would force the British Columbia lumber industry to abandon the development of the Province's timber resources, in which case the public treasury, which now receives a third of its revenue from its forest lands, would not draw sufficient to pay for their maintenance. In other words, the measure would decree a huge phantom increase in forest revenue, which common sense warns us is quite uncollectable.

The two sides of the situation may be briefly summed up as under:

On the one hand, there is a basic industry representing capital of \$200,000,000 invested primarily on the security of the good will of the people of British Columbia. This industry, with an annual purchasing power of \$100,000,000, has a payroll of over \$50,000,000, and employs more than a fourth of the Province's male working population.

On the other hand, there is an immense mature—stand of timber which, if undeveloped, threatens to become a losing proposition and a charge upon the public instead of its greatest source of revenue.

This series of articles communicated by the Timber Industries Council of British Columbia.

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PRESBYTERIAN BOARD WOULD STOP RACING

A resolution condemning horse racing and asking the British Columbia Legislature to eliminate track meets in the Province altogether until such time as they would be conducted on their true merits, was passed by the board of managers of the First Presbyterian Church at a meeting Wednesday night.

The board, holding that racing did great moral and financial harm to the public, agreed:

"That we, the members of the session and board of managers of this church record our deep conviction that all forms of gambling are fundamentally wrong and subversive to the highest moral, economic and spiritual well-being of the individual and communal life of our people."

"That we are sympathetic with the efforts of our legislators further to curb and restrict the operations of these gambling corporations, but believe and declare in favor of the elimination of these racing privileges by statute within the confines of this our Province of British Columbia until such time as horse racing is conducted on its true merits and not for sordid gain alone."

Finland Cabinet Resigns

HELSINKI, Finland, Nov. 19.—The Finnish cabinet resigned today.

ROTARY PLAN TO AID UNEMPLOYED

MEMBERS URGE PUBLIC TO CREATE WORK

Asks Citizens Having Jobs to Offer to Register at Central Office—Expect Big Response

The Victoria Rotary Club, at its weekly luncheon in the Chamber of Commerce auditorium yesterday noon, decided to make its contribution towards alleviating unemployment in the city and adopted a scheme advanced by Mr. Percy Watson, and authorized President Jimmy Healy to appoint a committee to put the proposal into effect as soon as possible. This decision was made by the members, on a motion sponsored by Messrs. W. Mayhew and Thomas McConnell.

The object of the scheme is to secure offers of employment of any description and any duration and to pass them on to the Government Employment Bureau and the objective for the winter season is 2,000 days of work, it being thought that there is no reason why this figure should not be largely exceeded if the scheme is well supported.

Cards for recording offers will be distributed through members, who will be asked to do all they can to interest their friends in the scheme and induce them to fill in cards offering jobs of any description about their homes, indoors or outdoors, or their offices, plants, etc., open to male or female labor.

Cards will be returned to an office to be maintained specially by the Rotary Club, where a record will be kept of the member issuing each card, and whence it will be immediately passed on to the Government Employment Bureau. The bureau will then allot the jobs amongst their applicants for employment.

The club will be divided into teams, each under a captain, which will compete amongst themselves to obtain the greatest number of hours of employment.

The committee that will be appointed to launch the scheme hopes to secure the enthusiastic and wholehearted support of the public by showing through the press various ways everyone can help to create employment for the idle in the community to do, by urging members to persuade their friends to take advantage of the opportunity offered by this scheme to provide jobs, and other methods to be decided upon later.

The co-operation of the members of the Kiwanis and Gyro Clubs in this community undertaking is being sought and it is anticipated that the service organizations of the city will work together in this proposal to lessen the distress in the city, and provide work, not doles, to those needing employment at this time.

ROTARY PROMOTES PEACE AND UNITY

REV. DR. LESLIE PIDGEON TELLS OF EVOLUTION OF IDEAL

Address Contains Review of Various Stages of Growth of Rotary Development in World

"Rotary has taken hold of the idea of service, which implies a sense of humanity, and having developed through the various stages of growth, has done much to create a wider conception of life, which will mean the realization of international peace and unity and the production of really great men," declared Rev. Dr. E. Leslie Pidgeon, pastor of St. Augustine's Protestant Episcopal Church, in his address before the Rotary Club, and International Rotary president in 1917, in an inspiring address before the members of the Victoria Rotary Club yesterday noon at their weekly luncheon in the Chamber of Commerce auditorium.

Rev. Dr. Pidgeon, who is a forceful and magnetic speaker, described the "Evolution of the Rotary Ideal" to Victoria Rotarians, and his remarks were listened to with great attention. At the conclusion of his address he was the recipient of an ovation, the nature of which probably goes to show the interest of any person who has addressed the club has ever received.

The speaker traced the growth of Rotary from its very commencement and outlined the features of its various stages of development and progress. The first idea of Rotarians, when brought into existence, was the thought of helpfulness, using whatever efforts they could to assist one another. No person had anything to gain by any man's inefficiency, loss or failure, and the community in each case was the sufferer. This spirit of helping the other fellow is just as necessary today as it was when Rotary came into being.

Rotary expanded, and the second stage in its evolution was putting into practical operation the thought or idea of service, not self. It suggested to business men that they were not in commercial pursuits just for making money, but that each man was doing his daily work as an expression of his service to the community in which he resided and whose welfare he should endeavor to promote. This aspect of Rotary was distinctly educational, held Dr. Pidgeon.

Then Rotary expanded still further and strived to train men to do every action in a social spirit, not to act as individuals, but as a part of the community, and an important and necessary factor towards its future happiness and prosperity. Rotary has taken the broad view, taking its members out into the international field, and has directed the attention of its members not only to the individual, but to the world as a member of a particular club or group in the community, but being a member of the international whole, stated Rev. Dr. Pidgeon.

LATE MR. THOMAS WAS LEADER IN CALLING

The late Mr. George Frederick Thomas, formerly of Nanaimo, B.C., who died in St. Joseph's Hospital November 13 and was buried here last Monday in Ross Bay Cemetery, was one of the foremost men in his profession of contracting engineering. During the reign of Queen Victoria he was a royal warrant holder for years. During the same period he did considerable work for the war department of Great Britain.

Expense and Revenue Of B. C. Departments Revealed to Public

The following figures, taken from the Budget Speech delivered in the Legislature on Monday, by Hon. Dr. MacLean, Provincial Finance Minister, show the estimated revenue and expenditure by departments for the fiscal year 1925-1926.

Revenue	
Department of Agriculture	\$ 32,500.00
Department of Attorney-General	2,462,000.00
Department of Education	27,600.00
Department of Finance	9,896,150.66
Department of Fisheries	21,000.00
Department of Labor	1,000.00
Department of Lands	4,090,000.00
Department of Legislation	2,000.00
Department of Mines	166,750.00
Department, Provincial Secretary	62,000.00
Department of Public Works	43,000.00
Department of Railways	80,000.00
Total current revenue	\$17,900,000.66
Total last year	\$18,179,245.00
Returns from income	140,000.00
Returns from loans	300,000.00
Total estimated revenue	\$18,340,000.66
Total last year	\$18,359,246.00
Expenditure	
Public debt	\$2,964,498.08
Legislation	127,800.00
Premier's Office	14,680.00
Department of Agriculture	339,590.00
Department of Attorney-General	1,154,000.00
Department of Education	2,322,522.00
Department of Finance	733,013.00
Department of Fisheries	18,000.00
Department of Labor	79,068.00
Department of Lands	1,257,740.00
Department of Mines	251,805.00
Department, Provincial Secretary	1,827,095.00
Department of Public Works	2,465,200.00
Department of Railways	67,900.00
Total current expenditure	\$16,627,530.08
Total last year	\$16,597,994.08
Sinking Funds	1,598,596.86
P.G.E. Railroad	910,571.00
Miscellaneous	16,200.00
Total estimated expenditure	\$18,133,097.94
Total last year	\$19,286,413.44
Balance between estimated revenue and estimated expenditure, \$156,902.72 surplus.	
Reduction in estimated expenditure with that of last year, \$1,103,208.00. Reduction in Civil Service salaries, \$142,447.00.	

OBITUARIES

LEHMAN—The funeral of the late Mrs. Elizabeth Jane Lehman took place yesterday afternoon at 2 o'clock from the B.C. Funeral Chapel, proceeding to Christ Church Cathedral, where service was held at 2:15 by Rev. Dean Quinlan. There was a very large attendance of sympathizing friends and relatives and many beautiful floral tributes covered the casket and hearse. The hymns sung were "Jesus, Lover of My Soul," and "Abide With Me." The following acted as pallbearers: Messrs. Stephen Jones, G. J. Jones, W. H. May, W. P. Bassett, W. F. Fullerton and C. N. Owen. Interment was made at Ross Bay cemetery in the family plot.

SERVICE—The funeral of the late Margaret Service, whose death occurred at St. Joseph's Hospital on Monday, November 17, took place from McCall Bros' Funeral Home, corner of Johnson and Vancouver Streets, on Thursday afternoon. A large number of friends attended and the many floral tributes showed the esteem in which the late Mrs. Service was held by her many friends. Rev.

Daniel Walker conducted the service, during which two hymns were sung: "The Sands of Time" and "Peace, Perfect Peace." The remains were laid to rest at Ross Bay Cemetery, the following friends being the pallbearers: Messrs. A. P. Weight, W. Lees, H. M. Digson, D. Ramsey, A. Campbell and A. J. Daniels.

LADELL—Service for Baby Ladell was held yesterday afternoon at 2:30 in the chapel of the B.C. Funeral Company by the Rev. F. H. Patti. Several friends were present and the little casket was covered with many beautiful floral offerings. The little one was laid to rest at Royal Oak Burial Park.

LEGION ENDORSES SOLDIER MOTION

War Veterans Support Mackenzie-Peck Resolution Before House—Unemployed Ex-Service Men

The Victoria Post of the Canadian Legion, in business session Wednesday night, unanimously went on record as endorsing the resolution sponsored in the House by Captain Ian Mackenzie and Colonel Cy Peck, which has the approval of all the ex-service men of the Legislature, and which it is hoped will be passed by the House in the interests of ex-service men. The organization decided to take no further action in regard to its special meeting held on Monday last.

A report was given of the deputations which interviewed the Provincial Government yesterday on behalf of ex-service men. The Legion expressed itself in full sympathy with the efforts of the unemployed men of the city, urging the authorities to take steps to deal with the situation. It felt that the case of the unemployed ex-service men should be placed before the authorities on account of the many who are suffering from disabilities, and are not able to do a hundred per cent job.

The meeting was presided over by Commandant Colonel J. A. Robertson, and Dean Quinlan's discourse on his recent visit to the Old Country was heard by a big representation of the Legion's membership.

MR. MANSON EXPLAINS NEW TRAFFIC LAW

Attorney-General Defends 'Drivers' Licence, Higher Speed Limit and Motor Court Proposals

Further changes in the Motor Vehicles Act amendments now before the House were forecast by Attorney-General Manson in moving second reading of the bill on Wednesday. Both the Motor Act and the Highway Act amendments were moved, but Opposition members adjourned the debate and immediately went into caucus to consider their probable line of action.

The new proposals outlined by Mr. Manson pertain to the system of control drivers' licenses. The original bill contemplated establishment of a card index system of Provincial Police headquarters, which would have been costly, he said. The alternative, which would be laid before the House, licenses in the first instance. Upon a driver being convicted of an offence against the Act, his license would be taken up and a blue one issued. If for six months he did not offend he would have the privilege of applying for a new white license. If, however, he suffered a second conviction within six months of the first one, he would be issued a red license and a third conviction within another six months would lead to suspension of his driver's license altogether.

The provision that he license must be carried at all times, he said, would prove inconvenient to some, but would be for the good of the whole community, as every man's life and safety was at stake in the matter of the provision for control of motor traffic.

In changing the speed limit, Mr. Manson said, he was following the rule of other countries, but stated he

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would leave this matter to the discretion of the House. Too stringent regulations, which nobody observed, brought the law into contempt, he said, and the principle of too much law must be avoided.

In taking power to establish automobile courts, the attorney-general said he would not necessarily create such a court right away, but believed the time would come when such a step would be imperative.

CITY GIVES WORK TO FOURTEEN MEN

The city yesterday made a start on its programme of work for the relief of the unemployed when fourteen men were assigned to rock breaking and surface draining tasks under the direction of City Engineer Preston.

During the past two days four hundred names have been appended to the list of unemployed which is being made at the City Hall. Registration began Wednesday morning in the Council Chamber and continues all day yesterday.

Operations will be commenced on a larger scale next week after the Finance Committee has informed the Council at Monday night's meeting of the amount of money in the civic coffers available for unemployment relief purposes.

Temple Hall Meeting—Dr. Ernest A. Hall spoke before a big audience last night at Victoria Temple Hall on the subject "Unemployment in the Midst of Plenty."

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Fresh Comb Honey, per square	25c	Fancy King Apples, wrapped, per box	\$1.90
Good Onions, 9 lbs. for	25c	Arizona Grapefruit, 3 for	25c
Brussels Sprouts, 3 lbs. for	25c	Okanagan Jonathan Apples, 4 lbs. for	25c
Good Light Potatoes, sack	\$1.75		

B.C. Granulated Sugar, 20 lbs. for **\$1.52**

Cream of Wheat, pkg.	20c	Fels Naptha Soap, 3 bars	25c
Fine Salt, 2-lb. sack	5c	Boss Hand Cleaner, like Soap, tin	12c
Reception English Malt Vinegar, large bottle	20c	Epsom Salts, lb.	9c
Herrings in Tomato Sauce, 3 tins	15c	Or 3 lbs. for	25c
Good Light House Brooms, each	40c	Pearline, small pkg.	7c

Raisins, in bulk, Brown Sultan, fancy fruit, per lb. **10c**

Finest Glace Cherries, lb.	50c	Sun-Maid Seeded Raisins, in bulk, 2 lbs. for	25c
Ground Allspice, finest quality, 1/2 lb. tin	25c	New Mixed Peel, per lb.	30c
Pure Ground Cinnamon, in bulk, 1/2 lb. 25c, 1 lb.	45c	Valencia Shelled Almonds, lb.	47c
		Nice Shelled Walnuts, lb.	46c

Pacific or St. Charles Milk, large tin **11c**

Yellow Sugar, light or dark, 3 lbs. for	25c	Dr. Watson's Tonic Ale or Stout, reg. 70c pkg. for	59c
Reindeer Cocoa and Milk, small tin	10c	Quaker Strawberries, tin	20c
Premium Unsweetened Chocolate Bar, each	25c	Solar Sliced Pineapple, reg. 35c tin for 25c, or 5 tins for	\$1.00
		Rowat's White Pickled Onions, reg. 50c bottle for	35c
		Cowan's Instant Cocoa, large tin	20c

Royal City Tomatoes, large tin **15c**

Pure Lard, lb. 22c, or 3 lbs. for	60c	Pearl Back Bacon, piece or half piece, per lb.	33c
Peanut Butter, per lb.	18c	Smoked Picnic Hams, per lb.	19c
Mild Cheese, per lb.	25c	Sweet Pickled Picnic, per lb.	14c
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Oriental Problem—Rev. Clem Davies will speak on "British or Oriental Columbia—Which?" at the Victoria City Temple service next Sunday.

Here for Debate—Mr. George Bell, Rev. J. P. Westman, of Vancouver, and Mr. D. S. Curtis, of New Westminster, are in the city in the interest of the Methodist Church in the Church Union debate.

Sanctified Conservative Dance—Arrangements are nearly completed for the above dance to be held on Friday, November 28, at the Sanctioned Agricultural Hall. Tickets are selling fast, and all who wish to procure them should do so at once.

Esquimalt Friendly Help—The Esquimalt Friendly Help would be very grateful for gifts of new or cast-off clothing for use in its work, and money or donations may be left with Mrs. Ranna at the Sailors' Club, Esquimalt.

Church Union—Rev. Dr. Leslie Pidgeon, of Winnipeg, and Rev. Principal Smith, of Vancouver, will be among the speakers at a Church Union mass meeting next Sunday evening at 8:30 o'clock at the Metropolitan Church.

No Meeting Tonight—The Sanction Council will not convene tonight at Royal Oak, but the next meeting of that body will be held on Friday night, when a number of matters will be under consideration, including the Wage Survey Improvement By-Law, and unemployment.

Wine Scholarship—At Victoria College on Wednesday morning, Trustee George Jay presented Miss Hope Leeming with the Cecilia Green memorial scholarship, given annually to the student obtaining the highest marks in general proficiency in the Junior matriculation examinations for the University of British Columbia. Miss Leeming was congratulated by Mr. Jay and applauded by her fellow students.

Mr. Ogden to Lecture—On Friday evening at St. Andrew's Presbyterian Church Rev. J. Williams Ogden will deliver his great economic lecture on "How London Lives." Mr. Ogden has given this subject a great deal of study and will present facts and figures in an unusually interesting fashion. Those who have had the pleasure of hearing Mr. Ogden on previous occasions are looking forward to his lecture on Friday.

Will Hear Lectures—The Sir James Douglas Parent-Teachers' Association will hear Major Gledhill give his lecture on the ruins of England in the Fairchild Hall on Friday. With the beautiful pictures of Major Gledhill has to show, the meeting should be well attended. On December 3, from three to six o'clock in the school, the Association is holding a bazaar. The committee is working hard to make it a great success.

Object to Stab—A case of using an unauthorised shed as a stable came up in the police court yesterday morning. It was alleged against the owner that he had complied with the by-law respecting the sanitary arrangements. The evidence was not direct as to the use of the place except in a few instances, and the Magistrate decided to dismiss the charge, warning the accused that he should comply with the requirements of the by-law.

Historical Pageant—The Historical Pageant representing the hundred years of Methodist missionary history to be put on in the Metropolitan Church on Tuesday and Wednesday of next week, will be produced in Vancouver on Friday next. The call for tickets in Vancouver has exhausted all available space, 1,200 having been sold. Persons desiring to gain admission to the pageant here should secure tickets at once at the Metropolitan Church, or from Fletcher Bros.

Arbitration Case—An arbitration proceeding opened in the Court House yesterday in a dispute between George McQueen, of Sooke, and the B.C. Electric Company. It is taken for the purpose of arriving at the amount due to Mr. McQueen for the carrying of the high tension wire line over his property by the company. Mr. F. C. Elliott appeared for the owner of the land, while Mr. A. D. King and Mr. E. S. Heisterman represented the company. The further hearing of the matter was postponed until December 8. The board of arbitration consists of Judge Lammiman, Al. George Sangster and Mr. J. E. Hickford.

Lecture on Scotland—Under the auspices of the Knights and Dames of the Thistle an enjoyable lantern lecture was given on Tuesday evening in the Orange Hall, the proceeds being in aid of the Victoria War Memorial Fund. Mr. Mackie was the lecturer and his lecture operated on the audience to the high places for which Scotland is famed—Edinburgh, Glasgow, Aberdeen, Inverness, Glasgow, the lakes, the hills and the rivers. Some of the views shown appealed so much to the audience that they broke into spontaneous song, led by Mr. McVie in "Loch Lomond" and Mrs. McVie in "Ye Banks and Braes." A dance followed the lecture, the music being supplied by Messrs. Mackie and McVie. Refreshments were served during the evening and altogether an enjoyable time was spent.

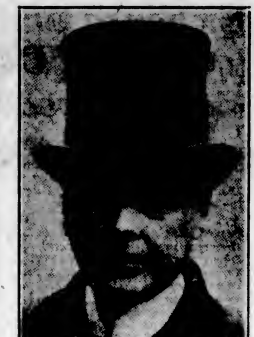
Famished Hiker in Hospital—PRINCE RUPERT, B.C., Nov. 20.—William Webb, a middle-aged man who said he had tramped here from Vancouver, and was trying to foot it back, was found famished in a shack near the North Pacific Cannery. He was brought here by Provincial police and placed in a hospital. Webb came originally from the Old Country.

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POLICE BALL TONIGHT

The mysterious and rather awesome atmosphere of the police station was something quite out of the ordinary last night, and a feeling of complacency and complete amiability held away for it was announced that the tickets have gone particularly well for the police ball tonight at the Armory, and the bluecoats anticipate their annual enjoyment of entertaining some eight hundred guests at a function which, they assert, will be unprecedented in their social annals for elaborate detail and brilliance. Through a long series of triumphs the police have learned the art of taking part as host with great distinction, and the members of the force are confident that tonight's function will be "the best ever."

THE WEATHER

Meteorological Office, Victoria, B.C., at 8 p.m., November 20, 1924.

An ocean storm is approaching this Coast, and unsettled, mild weather prevails over this Province. Moderate temperatures are reported on the Prairies.

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Men's Wear at Big Savings

I know that Victoria men recognize bargains when they see them, and that's why I am confident that our Men's Departments will be kept busy today. In addition to the wonderful bargains already advertised, here are some more too good to pass up.

John Z. Munter

Men's Tweed Suits With Extra Trousers, \$19.95

Grey and Brown Herringbone Tweed Suits in conservative models. Well tailored and finished with good trimmings. An extra pair of trousers with every suit; all sizes. Sale Price, with extra pair of trousers, \$19.95.

Men's Rubberized Tweed Coats, \$9.95
Winter Weight Coats in dark brown tweed with a heavy coating of rubber and all seams cemented to make waterproof. Cut in raglan style with all-round belt; all sizes. Sale, \$9.95.

Men's Grey Striped Molekin Trousers, \$3.35
Made from good wearing grey striped molekin, full cut, with pockets and belt loops; cuff bottoms; all buttons riveted on; all sizes. Sale Price, per pair, \$3.35.

Men's English Melton Shirts
Navy Blue Melton Shirts, with attached link collar. Well made and cut in coat style. Just the kind of garment for the man who works out-of-doors; sizes 14½ to 17. Sale Price, each, \$2.95.

Men's Fancy Silk Ties in Gift Boxes, 89c

We have just received a new shipment of open-end silk ties in all the newest shades. These are neatly boxed for Christmas giving. Wonderful value. Sale Price, each, 89c.

Men's Union Cashmere and Worsted Socks, 3 Pairs for \$1.00
English Knit Union Cashmere Socks in grey and black, also brown and grey worsted socks, serviceable socks for general wear; all sizes. Sale Price, 3 pairs for \$1.00.

Men's Wool Mixture Slip-Overs, 98c
Heavy Knit Sleeveless Slip-Overs, in a dark heather shade. Just the sweater to slip over the vest; sizes 36 to 42. Sale Price, 98c.

—Main Floor

Art Needlework Bargains

For this Sale I am selecting just the things which I consider will make the most acceptable Christmas gifts. Watch my advertisements daily and note the bargains offered in this department. Here are a few for today.

J. M. Abbott

Stamped Tan Crash Runners

For library tables, buffets, etc., two designs in simple embroidery; size 18 by 54. Sale Price, each, 60c.

Stamped Cushion Covers to Match, Sale Price, 60c

Stamped Unbleached Aprons, Practical size, Sale Price, 39c

Stamped Huck Bibs, Three simple nursery designs for outline and French knot, Sale Price, 19c

—Main Floor

Drug Sundries At Remarkable Savings

Look down this list and take a note of the things which you use regularly in your home. Then note the very definite savings you can effect by securing your requirements today. Every day during this Sale I am offering lines which I know are wanted at remarkable reductions. It will pay you to read the drug ad. each day.

A. P. Minnie

Men's Toiletum, large jars, 50c value, 37c
Boric Acid Ointment, tubes, 25c value, 19c
Glycerine and Rose Water, 25c value, 19c
Horlick's Malted Milk, medium size for 10c
Menthol and Glycerine Throat Tablets, 25c value, 17c
Malt Extract, large size tin, and package Dominion Hops, 93c
12,000 Sheets Toilet Tissue, Rolls for \$1.83
French Olive Oil, 90c value, 73c
Cream of Violets Lotion, 35c value, 24c
Palmolive Talcum, 25c value, 18c
Talcum, 1-lb. tin, 35c value, 29c
Mary Garden Cold Cream, 75c value, 63c
Labelle Vanishing Cream, 40c value, 27c
English Hot Water Bottles for long service at \$2.80
Wilson's Invalid Tonic, \$1.50 value, \$1.23
Kennedy's Tonic, 98c
Castle Soap, long bars, 25c value, 2 for 37c
Gibbs' Bath Tablets, large size, 35c value, 3 for 89c
R & G Fancy Soap, box of 3, \$1.00 value, 83c
Stork Castle Soap, 20c value, 2 for 33c
Sterno Heat, 15c tins, 3 for 33c

Savings at the Tobacco Counter

Tobacco Pouch, \$2.00 value, for \$1.49
Province Cigars, 10c value, 3 for 25c
Egyptian Delicias Cigarettes, 4c, per package, 45c
Rugby Cigarette Tobacco, 65c

Department Managers' Sale

Extraordinary Bargains for Today

Start your Christmas shopping now and take advantage of the special savings which are offered during this Sale. For the Second Day of this big event there are many additional bargains in wanted merchandise of the most dependable quality. Shop early in the day if possible.

Coat Values Were Never So Attractive as They Are in This Sale

For the second day of the Sale I am making a special feature of Fur-Trimmed Coats. Six special groups, ranging in price from \$13.95 to \$37.95. No woman who is still without a new Winter Coat should hesitate about selecting from this collection. Values are just wonderful.

M. Giverson

Winter Coats, Values to \$19.95, for \$13.95
Fashioned from good quality velour and blanket cloth, in shades of fawn, grey, taupe and brown. Straightline models fastening to one side, nicely lined; also tailored styles in good wearing check back materials in lovat and camel shades; sizes 16 to 42. Sale Price, \$13.95.

Fur-Trimmed Coats, Values to \$25.00, for \$15.95
Made from rich quality fabrics, including plain and cut velour. They have big soft collars of fur and are trimmed with fancy stitching, etc. Also strictly tailored styles with circular belt, notch collars, leather buttons, in all useful shades; sizes 16 to 42. Sale Price, \$15.95.

Winter Coats, Values to \$35.00, for \$22.95
Smart up-to-date models in fine quality velour, cut velour, Teddy bear and other novelty fabrics. Some are trimmed with heavy fur collars and cuffs, others with bands of fur, handsome embroidery, braid or buttons, well lined throughout; sizes 16 to 44. Sale Price, \$22.95.

Fur-Trimmed Coats, Values to \$45.00, for \$29.95
Made from all-wool duvetyne, velour, polo, tedeline and novelty fabrics. Smart models with new features, trimmed with collars of beaverine, wolf, thibetina, etc. Sale Price, \$29.95.

Fur-Trimmed Coats, Values to \$65.00, for \$39.95
Mostly individual styles in a variety of new fabrics. Trimmings include bands of fur and embroidery on hem and hip line, large roll, crushable and choker style collars of such furs as French seal, tinted opossum, thibetina, beaverine and others; beautifully lined; sizes 16 to 46. Sale Price, \$39.95.

Fur-Trimmed Coats, Values to \$89.50, for \$57.95
All superbly beautiful models, richly trimmed with furs; fashioned from the finest quality fabrics, including velour de laine, Bolivia, velvetone, embroidered marvella, suede, heavier cloth and the new ocean wave fabric. Exquisitely lined; sizes 16 to 42. Sale Price, \$57.95.



Special Offering of Fur Scarves

Even when you buy Hudson's Bay Furs so inexpensive as these which I am now offering, you can always be sure of their quality and genuine worth. Here are three extra special bargains for today.

R. Bhas Gordon

Dark Brown and Dark Grey Coney Chokers, double fur, with head and tail. Sale Price, \$4.40

Sable Coney Scarves

Fine quality skins, head and tail trimming, silk lined. Regular \$25.00. Sale Price, \$19.75.

Mink Chokers

Two-skin cross-over style. Regular \$42.00. Sale Price, \$29.50.

Toytown Is Now in Full Swing

Toytown this year is more interesting, more fascinating than ever. There are hundreds of new Toys never seen before—wonderful Toys that will bring joy and delight to the children this Christmas. To appreciate our wonderful displays you must see them for yourself. Come yourself and bring the children. Now is just the best possible time to make selections. A small deposit will hold any article for later delivery. Special Sale Offerings for today include:

100 Dressed Dolls at \$2.39

This is a much better made doll than anything we have shown at this price. Nicely dressed and has patent shoes, 20 inches high can walk and talk. Only delivery. Sale Price, \$2.39.

Kuddly Animals, 59c
Included are squeaking ducks, rabbits, roosters, chickens, cats and dogs. Sale Price, 59c.

Magi Graph, \$1.25
A fascinating new game for children. You can print as many pictures as you like from original copy. Special value at \$1.25.

Trick Mice
Lots of fun; run along the floor like real mice. Price, 10c.

Teddy Bears, 95c
These are plush bears, 12 inches high, movable heads; extra well made. Sale Price, 95c.

Games, 19c
Including Ring My Nose, Mike Murphy, Little Dick and His New Outfit, the Model Village, Nursery Drawing Stencils, Jack and Jane in an Aeroplane, Basket Work, etc. Your choice for 19c.

Climbing Monkeys
Very amusing and original; climb up a string. Price, 25c.



Afternoon Tea Special, 25c

Served Today From 3 to 5:45

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Toasted Crumpets

Ice Cream

Coffee Cake

Tea, Coffee, Chocolate

Pianoforte Selections

From 3 to 5

I Have Reduced All Pattern Hats

I intend not to have an early Pattern Hat left in stock by the end of this Sale, and so have marked them at considerable reductions. They include all the very newest shapes, shades and styles.

Values to \$12.50, for \$7.50
Values to \$15.00, for \$10.00
Values to \$18.50, for \$12.50

H. Workman

200 Dimity Blouses Special Today, 98c

200 women are going to be immensely pleased with this bargain in Dimity Blouses. The value is so good that I quite expect them to be all gone before noon, so to avoid disappointment, come early. Tuck-in and over-blouse styles, with Peter Pan, convertible and long shaped collars, plain, or finished with lace edging and embroidery. Every one a bargain at 98c.

Q. J. McLaren

Women's Bloomers Reduced to 69c

In medium weight knit cotton, well made garments with gusset; in flesh and white; size 36 only. Sale Price, per pair, 69c.

Women's Bloomers, \$1.79
In cotton and silk mixture, made with large gusset; sizes 36 to 44. Sale Price, per pair, \$1.79.

House Dresses, 98c
In excellent quality chambray, extra full cut, in slip-over style, with kimono sleeves, trimmed with attractive colored chintz or rick-rack braid; in shades of yellow, tan, green and pink. Sale Price, 98c.

Women's Cotton Nightgowns, 69c

In good washing material, with V neck and broad shoulders, others with built-up shoulders, trimmed with fine voile or cotton crepe in a variety of pretty colors, such as orchid, rose, sky and pink. Sale Price, 69c.

Women's Vests, \$1.79

In fine quality cotton and silk mixture, others in cotton and wool mixture, low neck with strap shoulder or short sleeves or V neck and short sleeves; sizes 36 to 44. Sale Price, \$1.79.

Exceptional Values in Corsets for Small Women

Values to \$3.25, for \$1.69

Comprising a number of models in Gossard, D & A and a la Grace Corsets, in low and medium top, varying length skirts, in pink or white coutils. In this lot are included a number of Gossard Wrap-Around Girdles in white coutil and surgical elastic, and a number of Ferris Waists suitable for growing girls and small women. Sizes 20 to 27. Not all sizes in any one style. Values to \$3.25. Sale Price, \$1.69.



Bandeau Brassieres

In Gossard and Numode makes, in granite cloth, rep and batiste; front and back fastening. Sizes 32 to 44. Values to 98c. Sale Price, 59c.

Extraordinary Sale Bargains in Electrical Goods

Values such as these are nothing short of remarkable. Think of it! A Two-Burner Electric Stove selling at \$7.95, a Reading Lamp for \$5.95, and an Electric Percolator for \$8.95. Nothing like them have ever been offered. My advice is: Buy now for Christmas gifts.

M. A. Mowry

Two-Burner Electric Stove
With separate switches. Stands on four legs and comes complete with connecting wire and plug, as illustrated. Sale Price, \$7.95.

Flexite Electric Reading Lamps
Adjustable to any angle, suitable for sewing, reading, extension piano lamp, etc.; ornamental ivory and brass finished bases. Sale Price, \$5.95.

Electric Grills
Boils, fries, toasts, etc. A most useful household appliance. Sale Price, \$8.95.

Radiant Electric Heaters
25 Only, portable, quick heat whenever you want it; beautifully finished in bronze and copper. Sale Price, \$7.95.

Electric Percolators
Handsome design in panel side, 7-cup size Percolators. Sale Price, \$8.95.

Regular \$15.95 Dinner Sets for \$10.95

Complete Breakfast, Dinner and Tea Service for six people. Good quality English semi-porcelain. Choice of two gold-line patterns. 12 sets only. Regular \$15.95. Sale Price, \$10.95.

—Lower Main Floor

A Mill Purchase of Towels Offered at Practically Half Price

When these towels came in, 200 dozen of them, including both Turkish and lino, I decided at once that here was just what the women of Victoria wanted. In the ordinary way they would have been priced much higher, but because it's our Department Managers' Sale I'm offering them at practically half the regular prices.

Size 18 x 36, regular 20c, for 10c
Size 18 x 38, regular 25c, for 15c
Size 18 x 38, regular 39c, for 19c
Size 22 x 42, regular 49c, for 25c
Size 22 x 45, regular 69c, for 39c
Size 22 x 50, regular \$1.00, for 59c

Shop Early for These.

W. G. Florence

Special Purchase of Manufacturer's Surplus Stock of Bedspreads

Offered at Savings of 20% to 30%
The collection is large, covering all sizes and weaves, from the crib size to the extra large bed size. Choice of Arcl, Dimity, Honeycomb and Marcella. Some with scalloped edges; others plain hemmed and fringed. It will repay you to see this offering. Sale Prices \$2.25 to \$13.95.

—Main Floor

Lower Prices on English Flannelette Blankets

Made larger than the ordinary flannelette blanket, and whipped singly, which is an advantage. Shown in white only with blue borders. Three-quarter bed size, pair, \$2.69. Double bed size, pair, \$3.69.

—Main Floor

Buy Christmas Fruits for Baking Now

I would strongly urge our customers to select their Christmas Fruit requirements now, while stocks are nice and fresh. The following Sale Prices on High-Class Groceries, Provisions, Vegetables, Etc., will prevail today and hold over the week-end.

W. N. Smith

Hudson's Bay Seal of Quality Creamery Butter, per lb., 45c
3 lbs. for \$1.30
Finest Quality Alberta Creamery Butter, per lb., 42c
3 lbs. for \$1.23
Choice Quality Alberta Creamery Butter, per lb., 40c
3 lbs. for \$1.17
Pure Bulk Lard, per lb., 21c
3 lbs. for 60c
Selected Smoked Picnic Hams, at per lb., 17c
Selected Smoked Cottage Rolls, per lb., 20c
Sweet Pickled Picnic Hams, lb., 16c
Sweet Pickled Cottage Rolls, lb., 19c
Prime Mild Canadian Cheese, lb., 24c
B.C. Fresh Eggs, pullet extras, per dozen, 59c
Hudson's Bay Special Breakfast Tea, per lb., 17c
3 lbs. for \$1.60
Hudson's Bay Freshly Roasted Pure Coffee, per lb., 38c
2 lbs. for 75c
King Beach Pure Strawberry Jam, 4-lb. tin, 73c
Malkin's Best Orange Marmalade, 4-lb. tin, 73c
Kellogg's Toasted Corn Flakes, 3-pkg. for 32c
Finest Quality B.C. Sockeye Salmon, tall tin, 3 tins for \$1.00
Quaker Brand New Season's Pack Tomatoes, No. 2 1/2 tin, 2 for 35c
Quaker Brand New Standard Peas, No. 2 tin, 2 for 35c
Quaker Brand Green Refugee or Golden Wax Beans, No. 2 tin, 2 for 35c
Finest Quality B.C. Granulated Sugar, 20-lb. paper sack, \$1.53

Fruit and Vegetables
Fancy Dessert Apples, 4 lbs., 25c
Choice Red Emperor Grapes, 2 lbs. for 25c
Sweet Oranges, doz., 25c and 35c
New Florida Grapefruit, each, 20c and 25c
Cape Cod Cranberries, per lb., 25c
Fresh Brussels Sprouts, 3 lbs., 25c
Nice Local Celery, per stick, 10c
Choice Cauliflower, each, 20c
Fine Large Cocoanuts, each, 20c
Japanese Chestnuts, per lb., 35c
Spanish Onions, 3 lbs. for 25c
Sweet Potatoes, 2 lbs. for 25c

—Lower Main Floor

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Social Events

Carnival Ball Guests

Among the many guests who attended the carnival ball on Wednesday evening at the Empress Hotel to commemorate the birthday of British Columbia held by Lady Douglas Chapter, I.O.D.E., were Major and Mrs. Selden Humphreys, Col. Chaplin, Miss Marquitta Nichol, Miss Villiers, Miss G. Lemon, Miss McInnes (Vancouver), Miss Ashburnham, Miss Maud Humphreys, Miss Louise Campbell, Mr. Fensholt, Mr. Falconer, Mr. Sutherland, Mr. Jack Chaplin, Mr. Lampman, Mr. Arthur MacCallum, Mr. and Mrs. Humphrey Baynes, Mrs. R. H. McMillan, Mr. and Mrs. Hyndman, Mrs. Curtis Sampson, Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Kent, Mrs. Arthur Nixon, Mrs. Haniet, Mr. and Mrs. McMillan, Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Harrison, Col. and Mrs. Wolley-Dod (Calgary), Mrs. Irving, Col. and Mrs. McMillan, Miss MacCallum, Mrs. MacDonald, Mrs. Arthur Cree, Mrs. Olanda, Miss Margaret Palmer, Mr. and Mrs. G. Bolton, Mrs. Cummins, Mr. and Mrs. Haniet, Mr. and Mrs. McMillan, Mrs. Brae, Mr. and Mrs. Duncan, Mr. and Mrs. D. C. Hughes, Miss Jean Coran (Ferne), Mrs. Haniet, Mrs. M. H. C. Hughes (Rupert), Mrs. Jameson, Mrs. F. H. H. Leeming, Mrs. V. Combe, Mrs. Sanderson, Mrs. Tyrell-Godman, Miss Little Brown, Mr. and Mrs. Muskett, Mrs. Grace Robertson, Mrs. Mortie Craig (Prince Rupert), Mrs. Brae, Mr. and Mrs. F. Sehl, Miss Sehl, Mr. and Mrs. E. Hayward, Mrs. Dennis Harris, Mr. Webb, Mr. Foulkes, Mr. A. MacCallum, Mr. J. Bridgman, Mr. V. Bagshaw, Mr. J. H. Muskett, Mr. Carew Martin, Mr. R. Green, Mr.

Douglas Bullen, Mr. F. G. Mulliner, Mr. T. Sylvester, the Misses Hyndman, Mr. Whitney Griffith, Mr. M. F. Williams (Vernon), Mr. Dalby, Mr. John Proctor, Mr. and Mrs. Beaumont Boggs, Miss MacVitie, Capt. Allen, Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Hallet, Mr. and Mrs. H. Beckwith, Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Cameron, Miss Chaplin, Mr. Gordon, Dr. Bryce, Miss Septh Taylor, Mrs. Herchmer, Miss Eugenie Perry, Mr. and Mrs. Parker Hubben, Hon. Dr. Maclean and Mrs. Maclean, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Downer, Miss Courcy, Miss Alma Russell, Mr. Godfrey Foulkes.

Tennis Club Bridge

On Tuesday evening the ladies' committee of the Victoria Lawn Tennis Club held the first of a series of bridge parties to be given during the winter in the Victoria Club. Mr. T. H. Leeming, Mr. Gordon Cameron, Mrs. Horsfield and Miss Camaua were the fortunate winners of the prizes. Among those present were: Rev. Mr. and Mrs. W. Carroll, Mr. and Mrs. Varley, Captain and Mrs. Mogk, Dr. and Mrs. T. F. Ridewood, Dr. and Mrs. Denton Holmes, Colonel and Mrs. Wilby, Mr. and Mrs. J. B. H. Rieksby, Mr. and Mrs. T. H. Leeming, Mr. and Mrs. M. P. Gordon, Mrs. Gouley Lang and Miss Janet Lang, Mr. and Mrs. Loveland, Mr. and Mrs. H. F. Pollard, Mr. and Mrs. Victor Price, Mr. and Mrs. W. J. V. Church, Mr. F. A. Jackson and Miss Peggy Jackson, Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Cameron, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Marston, Mr. and Mrs. Beckton, Mr. and Mrs. Freeman, Mrs. A. E. Hodgins, Mrs. Curtis, Mrs. C. N. Cameron, Mrs. Elliott, Miss Gallely, Miss Dupont, Mrs. Horsfield, Mrs. Nation, Miss Cockran, the Misses Blankenbach, Marie Camaua, Erminie Bass, Margaret McVitie, Mona Miller, Messrs. J. Virtue, T. S. McPherson, B. Fleet, Dennis Dinsacker, Henry, Rev. Mr. Price and others. The next bridge party will be held at the Victoria Club on Wednesday, December 3. Tables can be secured from Mrs. A. E. Hodgins.

Masquerade Dance Monday
A masquerade dance under the auspices of the Young Liberal Club.

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To those who have so patiently waited, we are pleased to announce the arrival from England of the

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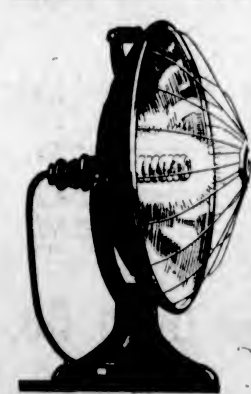
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Swift's Mild Cured Ham, per lb.	25c
Selected Picnic Ham, per lb.	18c
Swift's Cottage Roll, per lb.	20c
Fresh Alberta Creamery Butter, per lb.	38c
Or 2 lbs. for 75c	
Fresh Made Fig Bar Biscuits, per lb.	25c
Maple Leaf Bread, 49-lb. sack	\$2.30
Swift's Pure Lard, 3 lbs. for	59c
B.C. Granulated Sugar, 20 lbs. for	\$1.53
Gold Coin Potatoes, 100-lb. sack	\$1.85

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EVA GAUTHIER GUEST OF LIBERAL WOMEN

Canadian Singer, Who Appears in Recital Tonight at Pantages Theatre, Charming Hostesses

Eva Gauthier, protégée of Sir Wilfrid and Lady Laurier, who is giving a recital tonight at Pantages Theatre, more than charmed the members of the Liberal Women's Forum, who entertained her yesterday afternoon at a joint reception in the Liberal room at Government Street. Although she gave a recital in Vancouver the previous evening and traveled over on the morning boat, the singer showed no signs of fatigue and captivated everyone by her beauty and vivacity. About one hundred and fifty guests attended the reception, which opened with formal greetings by the president, Mrs. Taylor, and Mrs. M. Macleure, president of the Ladies' Musical Club. Mrs. Mary Ellen Smith followed these two speakers by telling the audience something about her guest's interesting career and travels. In the course of which a very glowing tribute was made to the superb talent possessed by Eva Gauthier and so early recognized by her distinguished patrons. The concluding incident in the tributes addressed directly to Mrs. Gauthier was the presentation to her, by the Forum, of a corsage bouquet. Her reply took the form of a very interesting talk on the fostering of Canadian art and artists.

There followed a very pleasing programme furnished by members of the Ladies' Musical Club: Mrs. Jesse Longfield, Miss Beatrice Macdonald, vocalist; Miss Lucille Hall and Miss Dorothy Le Page, instrumentalists. Mrs. Clifford Wain played the accompaniments with talent.

During the serving of tea, when Mrs. Walter Scott, past president of the Liberal Women's Forum, and Mrs. D. E. Campbell, past president of the Ladies' Musical Club, presided at the tea table, there was a continuous programme of instrumental music by the Misses Verna, Mary and Adele Bucklin, a trio which has promising ensemble qualities.

Tea arrangements were in charge of Mrs. Galbraith and Mrs. Chisholm. Today the Ladies' Musical Club executive will entertain Mrs. Gauthier at luncheon, and after her recital tonight she is being entertained at Government House.

Italy Suffers in Grip Of Severe Cold Spell

ROME, Nov. 20.—Italy is in the grip of a severe cold spell. Not only the mountains in the north, but even those surrounding Rome are covered with snow, and the temperature here dropped last night to about twenty degrees Fahrenheit. In several villages special watches have been organized as a defence against the wolves forced out of their mountain haunts by snow and hunger.

Moderators Elected

LONDON, Nov. 20.—Dr. J. W. White, of Glasgow, who once was voted to an important pastorate in Montreal, has been elected moderator of the Church of Scotland. Dr. J. Harvey, of Edinburgh, moderator of the United Free Church of Scotland, and Professor Robert Moore, of Edinburgh University, moderator of the Free Church of Scotland.

"Line's Busy" But the Company's at Home

B. C. Telephone This Week Is Welcoming Visitors to Central Office on Blanshard Street, and Subscriber Can Investigate Every Department of Interesting Plant—"Central" Can Be Seen in Act of Saying "Number, Please"

"NUMBER, please?"
Not only once, twice, or even three times a minute does one hear this question in the switchboard office of the B.C. Telephone Company, but on an average about three thousand times an hour, or during the very busy hours between 9:30 and 11 a.m., twice as often. And sandwiched in between the pauses in the murmured phrases are the repetitions of the numbers, little additional words of instructions or bits of information, always in the quiet, unobtrusive voice which sounds, when heard continuously for half an hour on end, like the monotonous tone of running water. One listens with a little suspense at first, certain that the numbers must come with the striking of some higher note, some crescendo of sound. But the level murmur continues, without variation, around this simple theme of "Number, please."

This is one of the marvelous things which visitors have noticed this week at the B.C. Telephone Company's Building, at the corner of Blanshard and Johnson Streets. There have been some twenty-five hundred subscribers and others there daily during the past four days, and they have almost without exception found the switchboard room the most interesting part of the institution. Here they have stayed the longest, asked the most questions, showed the most searching curiosity. One little boy of four or five had "almost" to be dragged away by force so suggestive of the length of the line of the operators manipulating with such ease. Whole schools have gone through the plant during the last day or two. A long procession of St. Margaret's girls, their eyes dancing with mystification, passed through the plant during the last day or two. A long procession of St. Margaret's girls, their eyes dancing with mystification, passed through the plant during the last day or two.

To Revise Victoria.
Mrs. F. E. Bellmaine and Miss Marjory Bellmaine, who were visitors in Victoria, and who have been in London, England, and are going to Switzerland for Christmas, will return to Australia via New York, and later Victoria.

Honors Mrs. French
Honoring Mrs. Cecil French, who left Victoria for Honolulu on Wednesday evening, Mrs. J. E. Umbach entertained a few friends at the tea hour at her home on Wellington Avenue prior to Mrs. French's departure.

At Menzies Apartments
Mr. and Mrs. N. R. Redman have returned to Victoria after a honeymoon spent in Seattle and have taken up their residence at the Menzies. Mrs. Redman was formerly Miss Olive Machin.

Tea House
Mrs. B. R. Ciceri, Linden Avenue, entertained at a very delightful tea yesterday afternoon. The drawing room was lovely with Autumn flowers.

Vancouver Visitor
Miss Gertrude Maclean, of Vancouver, is spending a few days in Victoria and is the guest of Miss Marquitta Nichol at Government House.

Back From Vancouver
Mrs. Jack Stapleton has returned home after a pleasant visit with friends in Vancouver.

To Give Information
The whole idea of throwing open the building to visitors was to give the public an opportunity of knowing what is going on in our "central office," explained the general manager, Mr. Patterson. People evidently want to know. And little wonder. There is hardly any luxury of recent invention which has become so much a necessity as the public telephone. Victoria, with a population of about 40,000, sends through an average of 65,000 telephone calls per day. Special occasions have sent the record up to 75,000 or 80,000. And it must be remembered that quite a percentage of the population is still "under age" so far as using the telephone is concerned. But among the many users of the phone few realize how busy the central office is. It is only fair to the operator who at that very moment may have three or four other calls awaiting her attention.

"I do think you are sometimes slow in getting through our calls," one of the big merchants of the Telephone Company on one occasion observed, while standing in line to the subject of service. He was promptly invited to run over to the central office to see what a telephone call is going on in our "central office," explained the general manager, Mr. Patterson. People evidently want to know. And little wonder. There is hardly any luxury of recent invention which has become so much a necessity as the public telephone. Victoria, with a population of about 40,000, sends through an average of 65,000 telephone calls per day. Special occasions have sent the record up to 75,000 or 80,000. And it must be remembered that quite a percentage of the population is still "under age" so far as using the telephone is concerned. But among the many users of the phone few realize how busy the central office is. It is only fair to the operator who at that very moment may have three or four other calls awaiting her attention.

From the dummy school the girls are sent to the switchboard, and under the eye of the supervisors and working side by side with more experienced operators, they themselves soon become expert.

The visitor mounting the stairs and passing into the switchboard room is confronted with a sign which enjoins silent silence. It seems like irony, for the room is a hum with the voices of the operators, the click of the plugs and the sound of electrical machinery. One is struck by its length since the opening of the building in 1912, and it is explained that each of the eight panels which comprise it is plugged so that the three operators seated thereat can connect a subscriber at once with any part of Victoria. Two or three supervisors move ceaselessly backward and forward behind the operators' chairs, ready to help in an emergency of

work at any one board, to give advice, instruction, correction or assistance of any kind. In the same room are the "Long Distance" switchboard, "Complaint," and "Information," all occupying different areas. "Information" smilingly shows her "amended directory," with a blank page gummed in opposite each page of the regular directory. In this she marks down the removals, cancellations and installations of telephones as they take place.

The full staff which nowadays works at 42 is just as large as it has been in the history of the company, is on at 9:30. The timetable is so arranged that the operators work in seven-hour shifts, the girl who comes on at 7 in the morning, for instance, working on until 3 in the afternoon, with an hour interval at 11 o'clock. The girl who comes on at 8 has the same programme, with the exception that her timetable is advanced an hour all the way through. The whole first floor is now beautifully fitted up with rest-rooms, lounges, locker-room and a big cafeteria, where the employees can get quite a substantial meal for the modest sum of twenty cents. On this floor are two employees' telephones in sound-proof cabinets. It is not generally known that it is one of the stern rules of the company that operators shall not hold private conversations during the periods when they are on duty, and the two telephones in the recreation rooms downstairs keep this proviso from becoming a hardship. They have their own gramophone and piano, provided by the company, and every month a supply record is sent for the former. Dancing is one of the girls' favorite diversions when they are off duty.

Other Displays
The mechanically-inclined have found much to interest them this week in the tour through the power-room on the second floor. This is entirely in charge of male employees, under direction of Mr. Butler. Here are shown the big power machines, the electric machines used to ring the telephone bells and give the "line's busy" test signals; the long-distance lines, and the machine by means of which can be determined the distance of line troubles. It takes more than a layman's acquaintance of the habits of electricity to understand how telegraphic and telephone communications can simultaneously be transmitted over the same lines without any interference with each other. Yet this is one of the many interesting bits of information that the visitor is given. Messrs. R. V. Clark & Co. and the B. C. Bond Corporation receive their telegraphed market communications over the telephone wires. The "black-room," which has an entirely different significance from the rack-room of the Middle Ages, is also on the second floor, and it is just possible that here with a little persuasion one could induce one's guide to point out the particular telephone wire which is the direct continuation of the one leading from the visitor's residence to the office to "Central." It is an orderly network of wires, among which some forty changes have to be made daily to keep up with the changes in the telephone directory.

This week one is met at the top of the entrance flight of steps by two or three businesslike but nevertheless charming young women, who take one in charge promptly for the tour of the building. Mr. Patterson, the general manager; Mr. A. J. Jack, district traffic superintendent; Miss E. Trickey and Miss Tressie, all sharing in the direction of the big "at home" which the company is holding.

LEE DYE & CO. STARTS GIGANTIC SALE TODAY
Oriental Goods at View Street Store Will Be Sold to Public Below Cost for Fifteen Days

Commencing this morning at 9 o'clock, a sale will be held at Lee Dye & Co., 715 View Street, which will undoubtedly appeal to the general public in that nearly every branch of things Oriental will be offered at prices below cost, ranging from a few cents to quite substantial sums.

The firm of Lee Dye & Co. enjoys quite a remarkable reputation in the city. The store has been firmly established in Victoria for a long number of years, and the sound business foundation of the company has gained for it the position which it now holds. In order that in the spring the stock may be entirely new, it is the intention of the management to sell without reserve the goods now on hand, and for the next fifteen days they will be below cost.

One has only to visit the store to be impressed with the wide range of goods offered for sale. Cotton kimonos literally rub shoulders with costly mandarin coats, and many shelves are devoted to rolls of silk and Can-

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Monarch Knit Heavy Fancy Silk Hose. Regular \$1.50. Special	75c
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As one enters the shop there are long showcases filled with jade and amber, some in uncut state and others finished as necklaces, bracelets and rings, all fascinating in their appeal, and all within reach of the most modest means.

Brassware is shown in a number of designs, and china tea sets and services are also on display in many patterns. Fragrant packets of tea from the Orient and jars of ginger may also be obtained.

Good luck bakkets and countless different baskets of varying shapes

Health Improves—Deputy Chief O'Leary was feeling really last night at St. Joseph's Hospital.

form part of the display, while the kiddies will be more than delighted with the toy department.

Last, but most certainly not least, there are mah jong sets. Sets which might grace the tables of the most fastidious, and sets which could be kept for the camp. The popularity of the game still holds sway, and now is the chance for all who have not already bought their mah jong sets to obtain them at very reasonable prices.

The sale opens today, and will continue for the next fifteen days, and the goods offered for sale are well worth inspecting.

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NEWS OF THE SPORTING WORLD

"Rep" Team Picked to Play Vancouver in McKechnie Cup Match

Boss Johnson Will Lead Strong Fifteen on Mainland Ground Next Week for Season's First Test of Rugby Strength With Terminal City Players—Trial Being Given to Number of Newcomers to Intercity Competition

FULL-BACK, Boss Johnson; three-quarters, Brendt, W. Brynjolfson, Robertson and Putman; half-backs, Goodacre and Maclean; forwards, Harry Smith, Porteous, Watson, McMillan, Pandray, Harrison, Kirk and Money.

This is the eighth time that night to represent Victoria against Vancouver on Saturday, November 29. The fifteen was chosen by the selection committee after a strenuous workout at the Horse Show Building. Considerable changes will be seen, however, in the personnel of the team, and many of last year's players have been unable to catch the eye of the selection committee and their places have been given to some of the newer men in rugby.

The veteran fullback, Boss Johnson, will again skipper the fifteen. Boss has been in that position for many long years, and his presence always acts as a stimulant to the men in front of him. His kicking and play in general is as good as ever. In the three-quarter line Victoria will be particularly strong with such men as "Benny" Brendt, Walter Brynjolfson and Nalra Robertson, all former "Rep" players who thoroughly know the game, and who are fast and tricky. Putman, of the Tillamooks, is a youngster who has shown loads of speed and good passing in his former games.

"Hie" Goodacre and "Donnie" McLean who fill the half-back positions, are both fast, pack good kicks and know each other's play thoroughly. The forward division is a mixture of speed and weight and includes several new faces. Led by the veteran Harold Pandray, with his fine knowledge of the game, the result of the selection will be closely watched. Henry McMillan, Watson, Porteous and Harry Smith, all men who are in condition the whole year through, and who have certainly gained their positions by their performance this year, will make their initial appearance as "Rep" players. Kirk and Money, two of last year's players, and Harrison, a new man and a former Old Country player of considerable ability, complete the forward line.

Tomorrow's Match
On Saturday afternoon at the Willows another test match will be played with any changes considered necessary for the bettering of the team will be made, and the reserves selected. Two teams, the "Reds" and "Blues," have been picked, and all players whose names are mentioned are asked to be on hand so that a good hard practice will be indulged in. "Tommy" Tomlin will be asked to referee the game, and the teams are as follows:

"Reds"—Boss Johnson; Brendt, Brynjolfson, Robertson, Putman; Goodacre, McLean, Smith, Watson, Porteous, McMillan, Pandray, Kirk, Money and Harrison.
"Blues"—Gillmer; McLennan, Dunn, Holmes, Fraser, Parker, Passmore, Wingert, Wilson, Sprinkling, Colman, Wallace, Mawhood, Woods and Prossy.

Esquimalt Football Club Meets Tonight
The Esquimalt football club is holding a general meeting at the Esquimalt Club tonight at 7 o'clock sharp.

The Esquimalt team for tomorrow against the Rovers of England at Beacon Hill will be as follows: Bennett, Watt and Mesher; Homer, Edwards and De Costa; Stewart, Watt, Warren, Davidson; reserves, McColl and Bendall.

Sweater Clearance

Because we intend to carry fewer lines of sweaters we are now disposing of surplus stocks at big reductions. See our windows today.

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Heavy Jumbo Knit Pull-Over Sweaters, with roll collar; shades of brown, fawn, maroon and green. Regular \$10.75. Sale Price \$6.85

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The Griddle

The Recruit Bullied—A Youth in Despair—His Only Pinch-Hitter

By H. O. SALINGER
Ball players, at the time of Ty Cobb's major league debut, were a different type than the players of today. They were a hard, rough and ready lot, as a whole. They battled on and off the playing field. A man had to win his position in those days by showing that he could take it.

The veterans were clannish. They held as common enemy any recruit who tried to break in. They did everything to handicap him. They made the youngsters the butt of coarse jokes, bullied them, "ragged" them.

Such was the feeling, the attitude and the situation Cobb faced when he broke in. They resented Cobb's appearance. They were more resentful than usual because he had broken into the regular lineup as soon as he arrived, instead of warming the bench for a season or two as recruits were expected to do.

When the season of 1906 opened Cobb, war in center field, had a certain amount of success and this reacted on him in the clubhouse. Few of his team-mates spoke to him, except to fling some new insult in his direction.

They broke his bats.

Cobb showed ability to bat. The day after he made three hits in four times up he arrived at the park and discovered his favorite bats were missing. He had brought them with him from Augusta—two black bats that he had used ever since he started with Detroit. Cobb had ordered for the bats. He was told he could find them outside the fence. Cobb found them—in splinters. Some of his team-mates had taken a hatchet and destroyed the bats.

They believed that by destroying the bats they could lessen his hitting ability, for it is the belief of most ball players that certain bats "hold more hits" than other bats. If they are lucky with a certain bat they treasure it more than any thing else, crediting most of their hits to that particular bat. Cobb had such a faith in his bats, and when he returned to the clubhouse he stood in the corner of the locker-room in despair.

Charlie Schmidt, then the regular catcher of the Detroit team, had witnessed the destruction of the bats. Schmidt walked over to Cobb and extended one of his own pet bats.

"There's just as many hits in this one as the bats they broke up for you. Use it," Schmidt told Cobb. "If nobody else is to break up that bat they'll reckon with me."

Cobb used Schmidt's bat. He made two hits in that game. The next day he made two more. He continued using it for a week. Then there arrived two new bats that he had ordered. But he had demonstrated with Schmidt's bat that he could get hits out of a strange bat, so they did not bother to chop up the new ones.

Outside the Circle

That season, as well as the succeeding year and even a few after that, witnessed a succession of feuds. Cobb, the temperamental, found it difficult to get into the ways and habits of his team-mates. He did not like them and they detested him. He was pretty much alone.

In 1906 Cobb was beginning to find himself. The spark of ambition that lay dormant in him began to glow. Cobb had faith in himself, but his faith was not shared by his team-mates. And Manager Armour, who had selected him, also had little confidence in Cobb's possibilities. He was regarded generally as a "morning glory" and "flash in the pan," a "gold brick." "He'll be back in the minors inside of another year," they said.

Cobb played in 97 games in 1906. He scored 44 runs and made 113 hits in 350 times at bat and he stole 23 bases. His batting average was .320 and his first full year in the majors are not sent back to the minors. They are kept at least until they furnish proof that they are morning glories.

"Payne Baiting for Cobb!"
During this season Cobb, although batting above .300, had not convinced his manager that he was a sure hitter. In that season Cobb saw a pinch hitter go to the plate for him; the only time in his career that this had happened because the manager wanted a better man at bat.

Betroit was playing Chicago. "Hitless Wonders" of this period and world champions that year. "Doc" White, a smart left-hander, was pitching. White was the hardest man in the league for Cobb to bat against and he was particularly hard on this particular afternoon. Cobb had faced White three times and struck out each time. When it came Cobb's turn to bat again Manager Armour called him back and sent up instead Freddy Payne, second string catcher. And Payne, who went out of the majors a few years later, won a distinction that never fell to the lot of another player.

In later years George Mullin, a pitcher, batted for Cobb, one day, but that was because Cobb had left before the game was over. Somebody HAD to bat for him.

Tomorrow: Chapter XII—A Star Evolves.

JEWELRY FOR SENATORS

CHICAGO, Nov. 20.—Diamond-studded gold watch fobs will be presented to members of the Washington Americans by Commissioner Landis as an additional reward for their victory over the New York Giants for the world's championship. It was decided tonight.

SOCCER FEATURE AT HUDDERSFIELD

HOME TEAM IS OPPOSED TO NOTTS COUNTY

Old-Time Battle Expected With Many Thrills—Sunderland May Have Hard Task to Win

LONDON, Nov. 20.—The feature of league football Saturday has its venue at Huddersfield, when the contest will be joined between Notts County, leaders of the First Division, and Huddersfield. Only three points in the aggregate separate the Town from the County, and since Huddersfield have played rather shakily since they were dethroned from leadership, and have caused their admirers considerable disquieting, it is expected that on their own ground on Saturday they will stage one of their old-time battles. In any case, the encounter should be replete with some thrilling features.

Not So Easy

Sunderland, who clambered into second place this afternoon, by virtue of their victory over Preston North End, will not find things coming so easily to them Saturday when they travel to Highbury.

On the first night the three will meet in a friendly encounter, and Sunderland are too uncertain a team to inspire much confidence. They have been in a losing way since Arsenal have had many of the breaks go against them.

Birmingham travel to Tyneside and engage Newcastle United. The cup-holders stand eighth in the league, and have been shot up and down the table in the most mercurial fashion. What the matter may be with the Northumbrians is hard to say, but they have frankly disappointed their followers, who had a right to expect a better record than only four victories out of sixteen games.

May Be Upset

West Bromwich may not be seriously threatened on Saturday, and it is not impossible that they may suffer another notch. But Sheffield United, whom they are scheduled to meet, have a curious way of upsetting the order of things. Third from the bottom of the table, they are menaced with relegation unless they show a vastly improved form.

The position of Preston North End, who meet Burny, is now almost hopeless. Crediting the record of the twelfth defeat out of fifteen games, it seems hardly possible that they can stage any comeback now, and their relegation to the Second Division is almost a certainty unless some miracle happens. The fixtures of the Southern League are entirely without any feature contests.

Reassignment of Waves

To Radio Stations in U.S. and Canada Soon

OTTAWA, Nov. 20.—The reassignment of waves to radio broadcasting stations in Canada and the United States has not been concluded yet, according to word received today by the radio branch of the Department of Marine and Fisheries. At the present time Washington is busily engaged working on the United States assignments and Ottawa on the Canadian, and the wave lengths will be so arranged as to avoid conflict between the Canadian and American stations. Changes, it is understood, will become effective about the end of December.

Willow Hat Bowlers

Win Three Straight

From the Travelers

Howling last night in the "City League," the Willow Hat Company jumped into third place by taking three straight from the U.C.T.'s. All three games were evenly contested, and the Willow only won by small margins. Moulton and Wilcox had scores of over 500, and Moulton, in the third game, rolled 209.

Commercial League matches between the Colonist and the Rocks were also very close, the Office men taking the series with very little to spare. The scores follow:

Willow Hat Co.

Gatman	127	138	149	414
Coxworth	117	140	140	457
Shepherd	153	145	155	453
Houlton	102	144	209	455
Wilcox	180	171	187	538
	757	788	843	2338

U.C.T.

Holden	166	70	142	478
Huxtable	112	113	122	347
Marshall	124	123	151	398
Christie	141	140	168	449
Morley	153	164	128	445
	716	700	753	2171

Colonist Office

Smith	114	144	258
Orice	94	119	108
Vivian	102	116	125
Thompson	131	124	127
Chislett	146	134	163
	687	687	687

Stockers

Logie	131	115	154
Williams	100	120	97
White	163	145	146
Richardson	135	118	153
Jeeves	104	124	121
Bishop	100	138	128
	629	656	674

Will Organize Lawn

Bowling in Districts

Throughout Dominion

That activity in the lawn bowling world is not confined to the local devotees is evident by a communication recently received from Toronto, the headquarters of the Dominion Lawn Bowling Association.

This body intends to inaugurate a great forward step in 1925 and organize the whole country into districts. It will then arrange for the various club champions in singles, pairs and fours to compete for the district championship, after which the district leaders of the West go East to meet at some central point and play off for the Canadian honors, then in recurring years the grand final may be played East, West or central.

Authorities regarding the size and quality and accommodation of the greens in this city are being answered by the local secretaries, Messrs. Dewar and Vallance.

HEAVYWEIGHT MATCH OFF

NEW YORK, Nov. 20.—Barries, Madden, Irish heavyweight, has called off his scheduled match at Culver City, Cal., with Tony Puentes, as a result of the Mexican's legal mix-up following his recent bout with Fred Fulton.

White Plains Makes Bid for Title Fight

WHITE PLAINS, N.Y., Nov. 20.—An offer of \$475,000 for a heavy-weight championship fight between Jack Dempsey and Harry Wills on July 2, 1925, was telegraphed today to Jack Kearns by George E. Doolan, White Plains real estate operator, who said he was acting for a syndicate of White Plains businessmen.

GOULDING GETTING IN STRIDE AGAIN

Recently Reinstated Walking Champion Plans Participation in Match Races in U.S.

ANCONA, Nov. 20.—Provided he can approach in training world record marks set by himself in past years, George Goulding, famous walker, recently reinstated to amateur status, will accept an invitation to participate in two special match races under the auspices of the Melrose Athletic Club, in Madison Square Garden, New York, on January 27 and 28.

Under present plans of the promoters, Goulding will be taken East to compete against Willie Plant, the American champion, and Egidio, the Italian, who won the 10,000-metre walk at Antwerp in 1920, and also the Olympic championship this year at Paris, when his best time was 47:48.

Goulding holds the world's record of 46:24 for the distance. Goulding has been in active training for some time, and his friends believe he will be able to make the time that will warrant him making the trip to stack up against the world-famous stars of the United States and Italy.

On the first night the three will compete in a three-mile event, and on the second two miles will be the distance.

In addition to the 10,000-metre title, Goulding holds four other world records (indoors) for the one, two, three and four-mile walks, as well as the seven-mile outdoor mark. In addition to the numerous engagements, Goulding also plans to take in the American championships in San Francisco next summer.

BORDINO COMES ACROSS

LOS ANGELES, Nov. 20.—Pietro Bordino, Italian automobile racing pilot, and one of the entries in the 250-mile Thanksgiving Day Culver City race, arrived here today from Italy.

POPE BLESSES BALL PLAYERS

ROME, Nov. 20.—The American baseball players, who wandered south after the Paris games, were received in audience by the Pope today. The Pontiff imparted the benediction. The group included Hugh Jennings, Evers, Faber and McInnes.

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Commercial League matches between the Colonist and the Rocks were also very close, the Office men taking the series with very little to spare. The scores follow:

Willow Hat Co.

Gatman	127	138	149	414
Coxworth	117	140	140	457
Shepherd	153	145	155	453
Houlton	102	144	209	455
Wilcox	180	171	187	538
	757	788	843	2338

U.C.T.

Holden	166	70	142	478
Huxtable	112	113	122	347
Marshall	124	123	151	398
Christie	141	140	168	449
Morley	153	164	128	445
	716	700	753	2171

Colonist Office

Smith	114	144	258
Orice	94	119	108
Vivian	102	116	125
Thompson	131	124	127
Chislett	146	134	163
	687	687	687

Stockers

Logie	131	115	154
Williams	100	120	97
White	163	145	146
Richardson	135	118	153
Jeeves	104	124	121
Bishop	100	138	128
	629	656	674

Will Organize Lawn

Bowling in Districts

Throughout Dominion

That activity in the lawn bowling world is not confined to the local devotees is evident by a communication recently received from Toronto, the headquarters of the Dominion Lawn Bowling Association.

This body intends to inaugurate a great forward step in 1925 and organize the whole country into districts. It will then arrange for the various club champions in singles, pairs and fours to compete for the district championship, after which the district leaders of the West go East to meet at some central point and play off for the Canadian honors, then in recurring years the grand final may be played East, West or central.

Authorities regarding the size and quality and accommodation of the greens in this city are being answered by the local secretaries, Messrs. Dewar and Vallance.

HEAVYWEIGHT MATCH OFF

NEW YORK, Nov. 20.—Barries, Madden, Irish heavyweight, has called off his scheduled match at Culver City, Cal., with Tony Puentes, as a result of the Mexican's legal mix-up following his recent bout with Fred Fulton.

Albert B. Stafford is the latest to suffer injury. A heavy bench fell on his foot, crushing two toes. "Awful."

Intermediate Ruggers To Play Benefit Game

Brentwood College and Oak Bay Wanderers Are Matched to Play League Fixture Game for Injured Players While Local "Rep" Fifteen Is in Vancouver for McKechnie Cup Match

WHILE the Victoria "rep" rugby squad is over in Vancouver, tomorrow week, demonstrating its wares in the McKechnie Cup series, the intermediate Oak Bay Wanderers and Brentwood College will play a benefit game at the Willows for the numerous players who have been injured this year. The game will be a regular league fixture, and should create a great deal of interest, as both teams play fine rugby and are popular with rugby followers.

At first it was decided to stage an exhibition game between Brentwood College and a fifteen from the rest of the teams, but, owing to the interest centred around the Brentwood and Wanderers teams and the closeness of the race for honors between them, the exhibition was dispensed with and the regular fixture substituted. This change will, no doubt, find great favor with rugby followers who have not had a chance to see these two teams in action on account of senior fixtures.

A Fine Record
The Brentwood College fifteen have one of the best records that has ever been made here by any team, either senior or intermediate, for many years. Since their debut into intermediate rugby last year they have gained great popularity amongst intermediate rugby followers and can always be relied on to put up a keen contest. Last year they did not win the league, but the exhibitions they put up were first-class and during the present year, with the help of the knowledge gained last season, they have welded together a team that has yet to taste defeat.

During the six games which they have played this year they have run up a score of 104 points and have only had 3 points chalked up against them.

On the other hand, the Wanderers have a very fine record for the year. In the six games they have played they have only lost one, that going to their opponents for the benefit game, by a score of 6 to nil. They have scored 51 points and have had only 3 scored against them. Last year they headed the league and made a wonderful showing against Vancouver for the Heyland Cup, losing out after two strenuous games by a narrow margin.

Games for Tomorrow
Tomorrow's play in the intermediate league will see a continuation of the schedule, three games being on the card. At the Cranmore Road grounds the Brentwood College and Wanderers will meet in a feature game, while the Victoria College and United Services will battle at the Canteen Grounds, Esquimalt. The third game will be played at the University School between the Normal School and the Victoria College.

All-Blacks Defeat Oxford University

OXFORD, Eng., Nov. 20.—The famous New Zealand rugby team, the "All-Blacks," today defeated Oxford University, 33 to 15.

DINSMORE SIGNS AS P.H.O.

MONTREAL, Nov. 20.—Manager Cecil Hart, of the new Montreal professional hockey team, announced today that he had signed Charlie Dinsmore, Toronto, amateur hockey and rugby star.

Sergeant Denies Story

Sergeant Joseph Archambault denied that money had been taken from the pockets of a number of gamblers arrested in a raid on a local gambling house in November, 1922. He produced a receipt from the police court clerk acknowledging the sum of \$185.20, which was found on the floor or tables or in the players' hands.

Mr. Justice Coderre said there was a man prepared to testify that Captain Seave, who headed the raiders, had taken between \$175 and \$200 from his pockets. "This man," said the judge, "contends that the police had no right to take money from his pockets and he defended himself as best he could."

Sergeant Archambault merely reiterated his statement that the police did not take money from the pockets of the players.

Lieutenant-Governor of Ontario Banquet Guest

TORONTO, Nov. 20.—Confidence in the resources and prospects of Ontario, faith in the present opportunity for this Province and the Dominion of Canada, and reliance in the people of Ontario to use the present opportunities and resources to a fulfillment of the fondest expectations of the future—these were the predominant features of the address at the complimentary banquet given here tonight to His Honor Col. Henry Cockshutt, Lieutenant-Governor of Ontario, by the Associated Boards of Trade and Chambers of Commerce from all parts of the Province.

Obsessed Son Finally Attacks Mother With Axe

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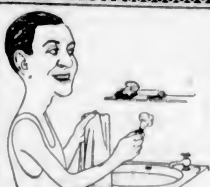
Miss Ruth Melville, New Mezzo-Soprano, to Sing at Big Concert in Royal Victoria Theatre

The programme prepared by the Gizeh Temple Band for its big entertainment at the Royal Victoria Theatre next Wednesday evening will be one of the most comprehensive presented in Victoria for some years, including vocal selections by several singers of note and promise, and instrumental solos by other assisting artists.

The Gizeh Temple Band anticipates

that, by sponsoring the first concert appearance of Miss Ruth Melville, it will score a decided hit in the musical world of Victoria and the Pacific Coast. Miss Melville has a mezzo-soprano voice of great volume and mellow beauty, and despite her youth has acquired a control which will delight her hearers.

Mrs. Jessie Longfield, the popular Victoria contralto, will also be a prominent attraction to the concert, her repertoire of songs including a number of new and delightful airs. Mrs. Clifford Wain will be the accompanist for the evening, and her skillful and sympathetic playing has been an important factor in the selection by the singers of some of the more difficult compositions to be rendered.

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BEFORE LEGISLATORS****Hon. T. G. Coventry Wants Mounted Police to Investigate Murderer Asks About Tribune Stories**

Hon. T. G. Coventry, Conservative member for Saanich, wants the Royal Canadian Mounted Police called in on the investigation of the famous Janet Smith murder case, of Vancouver. In a notice of motion presented yesterday, the Saanich member stated that on Monday next he would present a resolution that the Legislature of British Columbia instruct the Attorney-General to at once take steps to request from the proper authorities the services of the Mounted Police in an effort to bring the perpetrators of the crime to justice.

Mr. Wallinger, Conservative member for Cranbrook, drew the attention of the Government to the recent sensational reports about the murder of the Point Grey housemaid, published in The Vancouver Saturday Tribune; asks if statements printed by that journal in connection with the case are true and whether they are to go unchallenged.

**PREMIER WAVERS ON
P.G.E. SCHEME UNDER
HOT FIRE OF TORIES**

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"If the leader of the Opposition insists that the matter go before the House first, it means that the discussion will be repeated when the question is brought before the committee of the whole," explained Premier Oliver. "That means a waste of time and Mr. Pooley must take the responsibility. Rather than force a long discussion on the point, I will submit to the repetition."

"I consider that the importance of the P.G.E. question to this House and to the people who are forced to pay the interest and sinking fund charges year by year, warrant the taking of time," returned Mr. Pooley. "I am willing to spend three months on the question if by so doing the matter can be solved and the burden lifted."

Constitutional Methods
In speaking on the amendment, the Conservative leader said that the Opposition appreciated to the full that the Pacific Great Eastern question was the most important one anticipated in the House during the present session.

"British Columbia is obligated to the tune of \$45,000,000 in respect to the P.G.E.," Mr. Pooley said. "For years the road has been a political football for all parties, and we maintain that the situation is too serious to permit of jockeying and strange tactics. We agreed that in the interest of all British Columbia should get rid of the road, but we must see to it that we secure a reasonable price and that the parties who obtain it are responsible parties. Consequently this House requires the most complete information concerning the road, the proposed extension, who is to get it, and future plans, and we demand, therefore, that the entire question be handled in this Legislature in proper constitutional manner."

Where Responsibility Lies
"In effect the Government is asking this House to go into committee of the whole and advise the Government to bring down a bill to allow it (the Government) to dispose of the road without recourse to ratification by the Legislature of the Province. The Government plans to instruct its House to do something which it should, by all precedents and rules, do itself. So far as the committee of the whole is concerned, we do not object to its formation on the subject, but that committee must not shoulder responsibility which belongs wholly to the Government. We insist that the Government rides or falls on its own initiative in respect to the P.G.E., or any other matter."

Mr. Pooley considered that the question of the disposal of the road was of such importance that when the Government received an offer of purchase, it warranted the calling of a special session of the Legislature. "Premier Oliver is asking this House to present him with a blank cheque and the Opposition does not propose to give it," Mr. Pooley declared.

"The Pacific Great Eastern Railway was brought into being by constitutional methods. It was taken over by the Liberal Government in 1918 by constitutional means and, so far as the Conservative Party is concerned, it will be disposed of by constitutional methods."

Seconded Draws Out
Mr. H. G. Perry, Fort George, seconded the Premier's resolution, pleaded for non-partisan discussion of an grave an issue.

"Is my friend in favor of giving a blank cheque to this Government?" asked Mr. Pooley.

"I say without hesitation that I am not in favor of a blank cheque and I have several amendments which I intend to move in committee myself," replied Mr. Perry. "The bill should contain a definite instruction to the Government that before any sale is made disposing of assets or resources of this Province it must be submitted to this Legislature and passed upon, no matter how attractive the terms may appear to be."

One amendment which he said he would propose was that if the Premier's proposed sale fell through (and he said he had little hope of success), the Government be instructed to proceed with construction of the road itself, at least as far as Prince George.

Mr. J. Hinchliffe
"Unconstitutional" was the term used by Mr. J. Hinchliffe in referring to the Premier's resolution, and he quoted at length from the Journals of the British House of Commons to show that the Mother of Parliaments contained no precedent for the action taken by Premier Oliver. The only precedent the Government had for the action it was proposing to take, he said, occurred in 1921, when the Oliver Government brought in its Liquor Bill, which was not tremendously successful.

The Attorney-General charged the second Victoria member with talking politics and nothing else.

Mr. Hinchliffe replied that Premier Oliver was the one who had been talking politics. The Government leader had not only talked politics but he was playing politics pure and simple when he brought in his resolution, and by his actions he had sown the seeds of suspicion as to his motives. "I am not trying to tie the hands

Tells of Dope Trade**DR. ALFRED SZE**

Chinese Minister to the United States, and formerly Chinese Ambassador to the Court of St. James. He told the International Opium Conference in Geneva that the illicit cultivation of opium in China was due to the ambition of militarists, who encouraged the production of poppy as a means of raising revenue to purchase arms. China's annual production of opium is estimated at between eight and fifteen thousand tons.

of this Legislature," declared Premier Oliver, in replying to the Pooley amendment. "Any such suggestion is playing politics. As advised to His Majesty's representative I am asking this Assembly to give me the benefit of its advice on this important problem."

Mr. Pooley—"My position is the same as yours, on one condition, that the House have opportunity to ratify the transaction."

Mr. Oliver—"My friend is not in a position to make conditions with this House."

The Premier said he was willing to abide by the verdict of the Legislature as to whether the terms of the proposed deal should be ratified by the Legislature, but he suggested that such a condition in the bill might make it more difficult to make an agreement.

If, however, the House did not think it could safeguard the people's interests in advance by the terms of the proposed bill, then he warned that a special session of the Legislature might be necessary to get the agreement ratified.

With this explanation he expressed the hope that the members would permit the issue to go to committee for determination; but Mr. J. M. Bryan, Liberal member for North Vancouver, intimated that he wished to speak to the resolution, and the debate was again adjourned to another sitting, Mr. Bryan moving the adjournment.

Letters to the Editor

No letter to the editor will be inserted except upon the proper signature and address of the writer. This rule admits of no exceptions.

Unemployment
Sir,—It does make sad reading for our citizens to notice the various accounts in the recent issues of our city. It is a sad state of affairs that the Government of our country should be unable to find employment for its citizens, and the reports from the Friendly Aid Society.

Speaking of publicity grants I should like to ask our citizens if \$20,000, or even \$50,000, expended upon publicity can possibly offset, may I say, this lamentable story of distress through unemployment in our beautiful city.

I have tried to show and convince our citizens and council that there is a way out of this, that when finished will contribute very materially to render Victoria the most beautiful city on this coast and provide a lasting asset.

What a tribute of contemptible comment upon the efforts of our council in the past when faced with this problem that they have publicly to acknowledge there are no funds to relieve the situation.

Whose fault is it? Certainly not the ratepayers. I claim it is the utterly rotten, inadequate system of our municipal government that the people demand must be changed, and any of our public men who oppose such must eventually and rightly be discarded.

LEONARD TAIT
641 Government Street, Victoria, B.C., November 19, 1924.**"Spiritual Healing"**
Sir,—It gave me great pleasure to read in Sunday's Colonist the account of the meetings for divine healing in the city of Victoria under Mr. Hickson. Every detail of which I could confirm from cuttings sent me from the local press of Bradford. With a very great difference in method there is an absolute identity, both in results and in the description of all power for healing to the great benefit of the community. Many quite as striking cases of healing occurred here; many are still rejoicing in health restored after years of despair. Very many in both missions went forward, but were not healed, why neither of the missionaries could tell us; opposition was manifest in both cases, some of it from very good, earnest Christian people. Doubtless there were some ill results that followed, but so much good was done that we may well say, "What is the chaff to the wheat?"

Healings are being granted in this city up to the present day, to God be all the glory.

THOS. W. GLADSTONE
108 Joseph Street, Victoria, B.C., Nov. 19, 1924.**Publicity Grant**
Sir,—A letter signed by Alderman E. B. Andros appears in your news columns today, and I cannot help thinking that the reference therein to the grant for publicity purposes is made to reflect on Mr. C. J. Pendray, one of the Mayoralty candidates in the forthcoming election.

In fairness to Mr. Pendray it becomes a plain duty I owe him to state fairly and squarely that Mr. Pendray's name cannot be associated with the suggestion for a one mill rate on the dollar for publicity purposes in any way.

The suggestion for a one mill rate as above emanated from me, and that without consulting anyone, whatever in the matter. At one of the luncheons of the Tourist Trade Group of the Chamber of Commerce, I asked permission of the chairman to intro-

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duce a motion that we recommend to the executive committee of the Chamber that it consider the advisability of recommending to the 1925 Council that a grant of one mill in the dollar be made for publicity. This recommendation was sent to the executive committee and promptly turned down, and this is where the matter should have ended.

In connection with the publicity grant it should not be overlooked that the increase in licence fees paid by our merchants since 1922 amounts to \$44,000 this year, and they are entitled to expect a reasonable return. The amount collected from them in 1924 will total about \$112,000.

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WOULD ALTER STREETS

DUNCAN, Nov. 20.—At a meeting of the North Cowichan Municipal Council held this week a by-law was introduced to effect an exchange of a portion of E Street, Maple Bay, for a right of way through other property. When the towns of Maple

Bay was laid out, fifty years ago, no thought was given to the matter of street grades, with the result that some of these streets never have been constructed, and, in fact, never could be used if they were built. It is to remedy as far as possible this state of affairs that the District Council is now taking action.

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Proposal Made by Lumber Company
Will Come Before Councils Next
Week—Acceptance Likely

DUNCAN, Nov. 20.—Yesterday afternoon a delegation from the Duncan City Council, headed by Mayor Mutter, proceeded to Chemainus, where, together with a similar delegation from the City Council of Ladysmith, the question of buying electrical current in bulk from the V.L.M. Company was taken up with Mr. John Humbird, the company's manager at Chemainus.

After a lengthy conference, Mr. Humbird submitted what is said to be a very favorable proposition, which is a contingent, however, upon the scheme being accepted by both municipal bodies.

If the proposed plan is carried out, the electrical current will be generated by steam turbines, the fuel for which would be supplied by the waste material from the new Chemainus mill. The current would then be metered and sold in bulk at the company's premises, one of Duncan building its own transmission line of twelve miles and Ladysmith one of seven miles.

In the case of Duncan, the transmission line would traverse a well-settled country, and, it is claimed, a market for a considerable quantity of electrical energy would be found en route.

The proposition in detail will be placed before the two councils at meetings to be held at the beginning of next week.

CHEMINUS NEWS

CHEMINUS, Nov. 19.—The sale of work held in the old Recreation Hall last week by the Women's Auxiliary to the M.R.C.C., was a most successful event. There was a big crowd and every stall was well patronized.

Those in charge of the various stalls were: Tea, Mrs. Longrigg, Mrs. Caswell, Mrs. Rose, Mrs. Baylie, Mrs. Olsen and Mrs. Toynbee; home cooking, Mrs. Maurice Halhed and Miss Kathleen Burnside; needlework, Mrs. Cummin, Mrs. Taylor and Mrs. Chatters; bran pie, Mrs. Spurling; tea tickets and guessing cake, Rev. H. Eytan Spurling.

The cake, which was made and donated by Mrs. Longrigg, was beautifully iced by Mrs. Cummin, was won by Mrs. Howard. A very handsome tea cloth was won by Mrs. Alex Work. A beautiful hand-embroidered runner is still without an owner and is waiting at the Village to be claimed by the holder of ticket 34. The sale realized the sum of \$131.

In the Church of St. Michael and All Angels on Sunday evening, the Bishop of the diocese administered the right of confirmation to seven candidates. The Bishop spoke very earnestly to the candidates, asking them to try and overcome their besetting sins. The sermon was helpful and inspiring and was much appreciated by the large congregation present. The candidates were: Ella Porter, Muriel Porter, Florence Howe, Evelyn Toynbee, Marie Sondergaard, Doris Smith and John Toynbee.

At the Girl Guide committee meeting last week, it was decided that the committee and Guides hold a sale of home cooking in December. Mr. D. A. Gaine, manager for the Victoria Lumber and Manufacturing Company's store has offered one of the counters to display their goods. It will be held on a Friday as that is the one evening in the week that the store is kept open until 9 o'clock and will give the bachelors a chance to buy some home cooked viands.

JAMES ISLAND NEWS

JAMES ISLAND, Nov. 19.—Mr. W. Bond has been confined to his home for the past week with a severe attack of asthma.

Capt. Bisset is still suffering from an injury to his leg and will not be able to return to his duties on the Polar Forcette for some time.

Mr. W. Saunders has recovered from his recent illness sufficiently to be able to return to work.

The prize winners at the weekly whist drive last week were Miss Thomas and Mr. Ganner. Consolation prizes as well as first prizes will be given every few weeks.

The football match played last Saturday between Gabriola Island and James Island on the former's ground resulted in a draw, no goals being scored. The visitors enjoyed their outing and were entertained by the following: Roger, Lynch, Rivers, Dixon, Robb, Inglis, Chester, Thompson, Goldie, Richards and Kirk.

Mrs. Corrance, of Victoria, visited Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Van Norman last week-end.

COLWOOD W. I.

COLWOOD, Nov. 20.—There was a record attendance at the Women's Institute meeting here on Wednesday, when Miss Brury, of David Spencer, Ltd., gave an interesting and instructive demonstration of the art of making paper flowers. The senior pupils of the public school were also there by special invitation. Some beautiful flowers were made, which created a keen interest in those present to learn this useful and decorative art.

A social half hour was then spent during which tea was served by Mesdames A. Peatt, J. Goodall, H. Parker and E. Peatt.

Mrs. Brury received the thanks of all for the trouble she had taken in coming out and giving so useful a lesson.

PREPARE FOR SALE

COLWOOD, Nov. 20.—The St. John's Colwood Senior W. A. is holding a special meeting in the Hall on Wednesday afternoon next at 2:30 o'clock to make final arrangements for a sale of work on December 2. All who are interested in the welfare of the church are asked to be present.

Hon. Mr. Nichol to Act At Saanich Ceremony

ROYAL OAK, Nov. 19.—Arrangements are complete for the formal opening of the recently constructed arch marking the entrance to the Saanich Health Centre on Wednesday afternoon, Nov. 25, when His Honor Lieutenant-Governor Nichol, will officiate at the ceremony. The Women's Auxiliary of the Centre are responsible for the erection of the arch and they, with the Royal Oak Women's Institute, will hold a silver tea at the Centre after the ceremony.

Mrs. L. H. MacQueen heads a committee from the R.O.W.I. for the decoration. The Reeves and councillors of Saanich have received invitations to be present and a cordial welcome will be extended to all interested who desire to attend.

HAMMER BANDIT GETS TWO YEARS

LOUIE BLANK, NANAIMO, SENT TO PENITENTIARY

A. H. Johnson, Business Man, Struck on Head From Behind—Injury to Assault

NANAIMO, Nov. 20.—Louie Blank, appearing before Magistrate Beevor this morning for summary trial on a charge of attempting robbery with violence on the person of A. H. Johnson, pleaded guilty and was sentenced to two years in the penitentiary.

Last evening Mr. Johnson closed his vulcanizing establishment on Bastion Street and boarded his car with the intention of going home. He had placed his cash, taken in during the day, in his hip pocket, as was his usual custom, and was turning on the switch of the car when he received a terrific blow on the head from a hammer wielded by someone sitting in the back of the car.

While his scalp was badly cut, Mr. Johnson was not rendered unconscious and he jumped into the back of the machine and grappled with his assailant, who proved to be Louie Blank.

Mr. Johnson escorted Blank to the police station, where a charge was laid. The hammer, covered with blood, was left with the police. It is a mechanic's hammer and was evidently taken from the shop of Mr. Johnson before the assault. Mr. Johnson was forced to visit a doctor, where he received a bandage, which consisted of a scalp wound and a bruised arm, received attention.

Sidney Young Couple United in Marriage

SIDNEY, Nov. 20.—A quiet marriage was celebrated on Monday afternoon when Miss Alice Watts, eldest daughter of Mr. N. Watts, became the bride of Mr. Joseph H. Nunn, eldest son of Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Nunn, of Centre Road, at the Watts home.

Mrs. T. Griffiths played the wedding march while the bride, beautifully dressed in white satin and carrying a bridal bouquet of pink and white chrysanthemums, entered the room on the arm of her father, who gave her away. She was attended by her sister, Miss Annie Watts, who wore a pretty dark blue crepe de Chine dress and carried a bouquet of bronze chrysanthemums. Mr. Alfred Nunn was groomsmen, and the Rev. T. Griffiths performed the marriage ceremony.

At its conclusion the guests, who were all near relatives of the bride, sat down to a wedding breakfast. The happy pair left to catch the midnight host to Vancouver, where they will make their home. Many beautiful presents testified to the esteem in which the bride and groom are held in the district.

SEEK BETTER PLAY AREA

CUMBERLAND, Nov. 19.—The usual monthly meeting of the Cumberland Parent Teacher's Association held in the school on Monday evening was largely attended, upwards of fifty parents and teachers being present.

The Rev. J. R. Butler, chairman of the playgrounds committee, brought in a lengthy report on the activities of his committee. Several suggestions by this committee brought forth a great deal of discussion. This committee since the last meeting had been considerable trouble to obtain information about all-steel playground equipment. It was referred to the Board of School Trustees and will in all probability come up at their next meeting. It is also expected that a skating rink will be erected at the school playgrounds, the Rev. Butler telling the assembly that a rink could be erected at very little cost. The playgrounds committee have had the assurance of several well known men of practical help in the way of assisting the children with their sports. Those promising to help include: A. T. Heyland, G. Curwen, R. C. Lang, A. J. Taylor, D. Rannerman, W. H. Cope and Dr. W. Bruce Gordon. Mr. A. J. Taylor, who is an expert ski aid man has also promised to take the entrance class and train them in first class winter sports.

The idea of a sports field day, with athletic competitions between the various schools of the upper end of the island, was also touched upon and it is quite likely that such a celebration will be held next summer.

PAYS \$35 FOR DOE

DUNCAN, Nov. 20.—Mr. Y. Asada, a subject of His Imperial Japanese Majesty, appeared before Stipendiary Magistrate J. Malland-Dougal, at Duncan yesterday, and was found guilty and fined \$35 and costs for shooting a female deer, in contravention of the Provincial Game Act. G. Steadham, game warden, made the arrest.

Township Owns Trolleys
TORONTO, Nov. 20.—Reverend Wm. Graham, of York Township, a municipality adjacent to Toronto, Wednesday afternoon opened the first township-owned street railway system in Canada.

WILL SEEK OFFICE ON POLICE BOARD

MR. JOHN DAY WILL RUN FOR OFFICE AS COMMISSIONER

Is Fifth Candidate in Election Field—Trustee A. G. Smith May Run Again for School Board

In response to the urging of his many friends, Mr. John Day will seek election to the Board of Police Commissioners at next month's poll.

Mr. Day is the fifth candidate to enter the race for office on the police commission. The other candidates are Mr. T. R. Palmer, Mr. W. E. Staneland, Mr. W. W. Hall and Mr. Clarence Harris.

Trustee A. G. Smith may run again for office on the School Board. To a delegation of supporters which waited upon him yesterday to press him to stand for election, he made a request for time to consider his decision.

Candidates already in the field for the School Board are Trustees George Jay and H. O. Litchfield. Alderman E. S. Woodward, who announced his candidature for the City Council, is the tenth to enter the contest for office on the aldermanic board.

He has been a member of the City Council for the past four years, during which time he has served on a number of different committees, having been chairman of the Finance Committee in 1922 and chairman of the Boulevard Committee in 1923. In addition to holding the latter office again this year, he is a member of the Legislative Committee of the Council and chairman of the Electric Lights Committee.

Many Activities

As chairman of the Parks and Boulevards Committee, he was instrumental last year in instituting a thorough reorganization of the Home for the Aged and Infirm.

Last year Alderman Woodward was vice-president of the Canadian Union of Municipalities. At the Yukon convention of the Pacific Coast Parks Association last July, he was elected to the presidency of that body and was successful in having Victoria designated next year's convention city for the association.

Alderman Woodward, who is secretary of the Victoria Trades and Labor Council, has been regarded as labor's representative on the aldermanic board. He was defeated at the last Provincial election as a candidate of the Provincial party for Victoria City.

The candidature for alderman of Mr. W. H. Cullin, formerly King's Printer, received the endorsement of the Trades and Labor Council at its meeting Monday night. He was an

official of the council years ago. Delegates at the council meeting gave high praise to the services he has rendered the cause of labor in the past.

Aldermanic candidates now include Alderman John Harvey, George Sangster, E. S. Woodward, Trustee P. R. Brown and Messrs. J. A. Shanks, W. F. Fullerton, J. B. Clearburn, M. P. Blair, W. H. Cullin and J. L. Mara. The mayoralty candidates are Aldermen E. B. Andros, G. D. Christie, W. J. Sargent and Mr. J. C. Pendray.

George Zimmerman Case Postponed at Vancouver

VANCOUVER, Nov. 20.—George Zimmerman, former burglar of Vancouver, who has been awaiting trial here for the past month on charges of alleged forgery and fraud, came before Magistrate Shaw for preliminary hearing this morning and after three witnesses were heard was remanded to November 27.

Grain Growers' Officers Re-elected
CALGARY, Nov. 20.—At the annual convention of the United Grain Growers here tonight, the directors whose term of office expired this year were all re-elected. T. A. Cregar, president; C. Rice-Jones, first vice-president; John Kennedy, second vice-president; B. C. Kennedy and F. Brandon, directors, were returned

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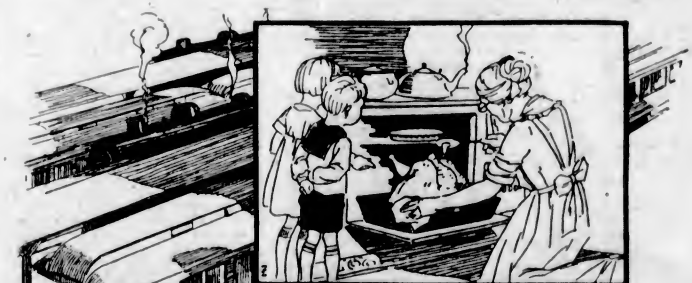
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MEMBERS ASKED TO TAKE PART IN MOVE

Unemployed of City Demand That Single Men Be Provided With Three Meals a Day

An invitation is being sent to the three Labor members of the Legislature and to the four members of the City of Victoria to attend the meeting called by the unemployed to meet the Government on the steps of the Parliament Buildings next Wednesday. This suggestion was made at the meeting of the organized body yesterday afternoon.

It was reported to the meeting by Col. Flick on behalf of the committee that has had the negotiations with the Council in hand that a start had been made by the Council in the finding of employment, although this was on a very small scale, and included only about six men. There was the assurance given that places would be found for a few more at an early date.

A resolution "demanding" that the Council provide for three meals a day to single unemployed men was carried, and the committee was instructed to present it to the Council.



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Urges Government To Take Over Cost Of Education Here

Union of British Columbia Municipalities Lays Proposals Before Government—Suggests Levying of Special Income Tax for Education in Event of Main Request Not Being Granted

UNION FEELS SITUATION NOW REALLY DESPERATE

URGING the Provincial Government to consider the proposal to take over the cost of education in British Columbia, and thereby relieve the municipalities of this burden, and declaring if this request is acted upon and put into effect, the municipalities will forego the revenues now received from the Government liquor and pari-mutuel profits and grants, members of the executive of the Union of British Columbia Municipalities waited upon the Provincial Cabinet this week and laid their case before it.

The Union of British Columbia Municipalities implored the Government to fully consider the very serious condition of the municipalities of the province, caused by the heavy cost of education on real property. Members of the union pointed out that unless some drastic legislation is enacted to furnish revenue for school purposes from sources other than real property, the ever increasing cost of education will mean that more and more property will revert year by year to the municipalities.

If the provincial government cannot, after serious consideration, accede to the request that it take over the cost of education in this province, the Union of British Columbia Municipalities desires the government to consider the levying of a special income tax for education on all persons in receipt of an income. The union also asks that fuller control of school expenditures be vested in the municipal councils.

Features of Union's Case

The following are some of the salient features in the presentation of the Union's case:

1. The cost of education has doubled in the past six years, increasing much more rapidly than other expenditures.

2. The assessment of real property, on which municipal taxes are based, has decreased considerably in the same period.

3. Taxes on real property are extremely high, causing depreciation of values, and abandonment of land by taxpayers.

4. The increased Government grants of 1921 have not solved the financial problem of the municipalities.

5. Taxes on real property are much higher than on other forms of wealth.

6. Debt charges are so heavy that they reduce the margin otherwise available for current expenditures.

7. Real property cannot provide for uncontrolled and unlimited school expenditure in addition to the debt charges and other municipal requirements.

8. The present system of financing the schools is dangerous and highly unsatisfactory.

9. Two-thirds of the municipalities are in an extended financial position.

10. Immediate reform is necessary in order to maintain the financial stability of the municipalities, and to prevent the reduction of essential educational requirements.

The burdens of taxation on real property have been tremendous. Perhaps the worst feature of the situation is the constant shrinking of the "tax base." The abandonment of more property at tax sales is inevitable under the present conditions. The present system of administering the schools has been shown to foster waste and extravagance.

Education should be a national and not a local charge. The Union of B.C. Municipalities believes that the most effective way to relieve the overburdened taxpayers and to provide adequate education for the children is for the Province to assume the entire cost and control of the schools. If the Province will do this, the municipalities will yield up the revenue they now receive from liquor profits and the betting tax. This revenue amounted to \$1,045,000 in 1923, according to the Inspector of Municipalities' report. The grant for teachers' salaries would, of course, also disappear from the municipal revenues. This grant amounted to \$1,292,000 in 1923. There would also be a certain amount surrendered in fees and sundry school revenue.

Taxation on real property could then be reduced between \$2,000,000 and \$3,500,000. This relief would go far to check the tax sale cancer.

Should Shift Taxes

The proposed change would involve a shifting of taxation other than real property as the most highly taxed form of wealth in the Province.

Should the Province find itself unable to take over the entire cost of education, the Union proposes that the Province should materially increase its financial aid, deriving the necessary funds from a special income tax for education on all persons in receipt of an income. This would mean the abolition of exemptions, but would be a more equitable method of financing the schools.

For example, would then pay their share towards education out of their net earnings, and not according to the number of acres they owned. Now they have to pay a heavy school tax even if their income is a bare pittance.

The great class of tenants who share in the cost of education from which they reap so much benefit. Every one earning a wage would be brought into the taxing field. Every wage earner should bear some part in educating the coming generation. We believe that education is a national asset of vital importance, but it must be paid for. There is no such thing as free education. The cost should be shared fairly. The farmer who owns a thrifty man who owns his home should have justice. They should not be expected to educate other people's children as well as their own.

The Union also believes that if the Province will not take over the schools the municipal councils should have fuller control over school expenditures.

The most logical plan to attain this end is to amalgamate the functions of the school boards and the councils. This was done in England twenty-two years ago, and no one thinks of returning to the old system. Consolidation and amalgamation is the order of the day in business. Why not in the municipal world, too? Economies would follow as a natural result. The constant friction and bickering between the two bodies would cease.

The qualifications for members of the two bodies are the same. Changes involved would be small compared with the benefits attainable. And this reform could be effected without cost to the Province.

For Full Control

It seems absurd that little towns of 500 to 5,000 people must have separate elected bodies—for the police, fire, and other municipal services.

Even the larger cities would profit by having united control. Would it not be the part of statesmanship in the face of serious financial dangers to consolidate the various municipal bodies?

If great cities like Manchester, Leeds and Birmingham can be governed by one body, why should it be necessary for Vancouver, and Nelson, and Alberni, and Penticton to have three governing bodies?

It may be urged that councils would not care for the additional responsibilities. But councils do not require to be enlarged as responsibilities increase. They only need more employees. Vancouver has one hundred times the population of Port Moody and one hundred times the responsibility, but she does not require a council of seven hundred members to cope with the work. No council would object to a doubling of the local population, even though it meant more responsibility. To be master in one's own house is worth a little sacrifice.

Other proposals have been for councils to appoint certain members of school boards. Whether the boards are maintained as separate bodies or not, the Union is unanimous in advocating the control of school expenditures by the councils.

Control is no new thing in this Province. Up to 1913 the school rate was limited to five mills; in 1914 and 1915 the limit was seven mills. The school rate in 1923 in Fernie and Cranbrook was twenty-five mills, and in Ladysmith no less than twenty-seven mills. What a change in eight short years!

A limit on the mill rate is not urged as the solution of the difficulty, but only to show that no new principle is involved. There must be some measure of control, else many municipalities will soon be on the verge of bankruptcy.

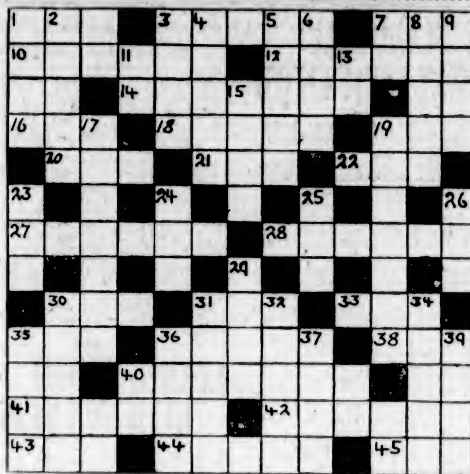
The Union feels that the situation is desperate. Drastic and immediate reform is urged.

Defects of Present System

The present system for conducting the schools of the province is a tri-angulation arrangement of province, councils and school boards.

The province establishes the curriculum, makes education compulsory, and pays about thirty per cent of the cost; the councils provide seventy per cent, and the school boards spend the money.

Colonist Crossword Puzzle



Cross Word Puzzle No. 2

Key to Cross Word Puzzle No. 2

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| 1. Wooden receptacle. | 1. Vegetable. |
| 2. Proposed at a banquet. | 2. Tender. |
| 3. Utile. | 3. Stumble. |
| 4. Wretched condition. | 4. Torrid, heat-seeking animal. |
| 5. Tips. | 5. Exhausted. |
| 6. Offspring of domestic pet. | 6. Antonio (ab.). |
| 7. Edward (nickname). | 7. One (French). |
| 8. A flower. | 8. Used for motive power. |
| 9. Fodder. | 9. To detect. |
| 10. Fodder. | 10. A verb. |
| 11. Darcy. | 11. An instrument. |
| 12. Thomas (ab.). | 12. At the end of dinner. |
| 13. Used at crew meal. | 13. Country in Northern Europe. |
| 14. Real estate. | 14. Queer. |
| 15. From which metal is extracted. | 15. Place of rest. |
| 16. A person. | 16. A number. |
| 17. An insect. | 17. Always. |
| 18. Intersection of railways (ab.). | 18. Other than this. |
| 19. Separate. | 19. Body of water. |
| 20. Nocturnal light. | 20. To challenge. |
| 21. Novice. | 21. Build. |
| 22. Well-known fish. | 22. Fatigued. |
| 23. Sounds made by bells. | 23. A joke. |
| 24. High explosion. | 24. A man's name. |
| 25. Light breeze of saltire. | 25. Close (spelled backwards). |
| 26. Physicians (ab.). | 26. Spangly; spangle-like growth. |
| | 27. Morning (ab.). |

How to Solve the Puzzle

Each number in the diagram indicates the beginning of a word, reading either vertically or horizontally. The definition of the word is given in the list labeled HORIZONTAL and VERTICAL, with numbers showing where to start the words in the diagram. To solve the puzzle, you must find the word which begins at the number shown in the diagram, and which fits the definition. If you find the word, you have solved the puzzle correctly. The solution of today's puzzle will be shown in an early issue.

He who pays the piper does not call the tune.

The strong entrenchments of the school boards are to be found in the Public Schools Act and the Municipal Act.

Not a word is said in them about control by the taxing body, the council.

The law states: "The council of every municipality shall in each year pass a by-law for levying a special rate for school purposes; and if and so far as the money raised by such rate, together with the amount of the grant paid by the Minister of Finance under this act, are insufficient for those purposes, the council shall apply a portion of the ordinary revenue of the municipality to school purposes."

Whatever financial straits the municipality is in the price of education must be paid. Roads may be quarantined, sidewalks decayed, water-mains bursting, the unemployed starving, but the price of education must be paid.

Sewers, parks, isolation hospitals, libraries, fire brigades, what are these compared with the schools? Public health, sanitation, good roads, pure water—all these must yield to the schools. The price of education must be paid. And who sets the price? The province and the school boards, not the councils. They only pay the bill. Solemn promises are made to bondholders to pay their interest, and their debt in due season; strict pledges are given to banks to repay when the time comes. But these are mere scraps of paper.

"The price of education must be paid." So says the law—while the taxpayers sweat and groan beneath their load.

But some will say, "you are protected from extravagance. The school board may not exceed its estimates." A delusion and a snare. The estimates are prepared by the board itself, without let or hindrance as to "ordinary expenses." They must be ready by February 15. The council must provide for them. Here is a direct invitation to inflation of estimates. "Contingencies" may be added if the board doubts the sufficiency of its other figures. A system such as this cannot promote economy.

"Fearful and Wonderful!" Truly this is a fearful and wonderful system which chooses one member of the municipal family and says:

"This child must be tended and cared for, whatever befalls the other children. 'Miss Education' must be clothed in purple and fine linen and fare sumptuously every day. Her brothers and her sisters shall be clad in sackcloth and feed on the crumbs which fall from the fair damsel's table."

And the head of the municipal household, with a dwindling income and his other growing children, must put a second mortgage on the family home, so that his favored daughter may assimilate quadratic equations, and differentiate between the accusative and the ablative.

Nor is this the whole story. As shown above, each year the schools must have 100 cents on the dollar, but the school rate is never paid in full. Part of the 20 mills "for other lawful purposes" goes to make up the shortage, and part as interest to the bank for financing the schools. The council must pay "ordinary expenses" of the schools without question. There is a partial control of "extraordinary" or capital expenditures. But who has not heard of alterations to buildings described as "repairs" and equipment purchased as "supplies"? A council may disapprove a new school building, but the board can lease an existing building and charge the rent as "ordinary expenses."

Municipal Debt

Much concern has been caused of late by the failure to provide for the sinking fund. The condition of the sinking funds was bad. It has improved, but there is still a large shortage. A law was passed that "no money collected by municipalities for sinking fund purposes shall be



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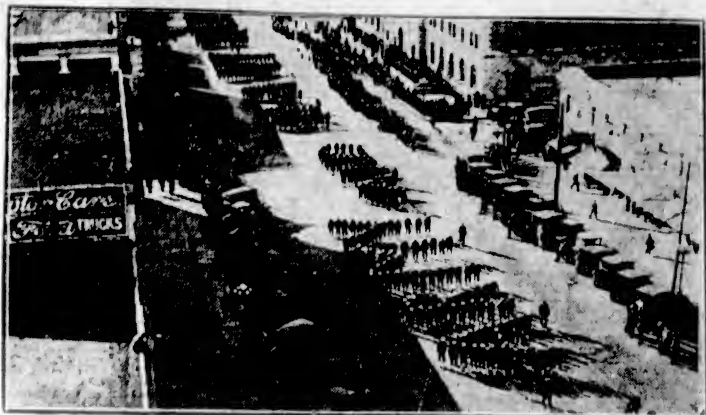
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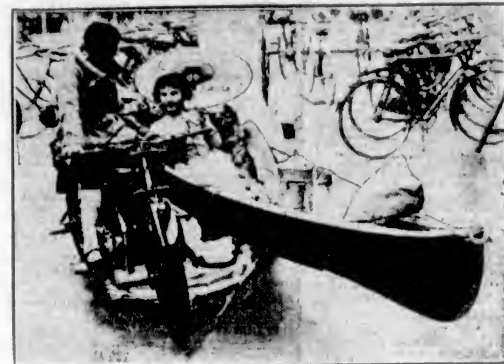
The Colonist's Pictorial Page



Sailors have proved specially ingenious in spelling out words with human letters, but recruits at San Diego have gone their contemporaries one better by spelling them out while on the march



This splendid portrait study is that of Mrs. Winston Spencer Churchill, whose husband is the newly-appointed chancellor of the exchequer in the Baldwin cabinet



The canoe side-car, which can be detached for water use, has been designed by an English firm and recently was exhibited at a motorcycle show in London



Prince Olaf, crown Prince of Norway and an undergraduate at Balliol College, Oxford, is an enthusiastic oarsman and rows in the four-oared shell of his college



Within a month after obtaining a divorce from Frederick G. Peabody, collar manufacturer of Troy, N.Y., Mrs. Peabody became the bride the other day of P. A. B. Widener of Philadelphia, shown above



This young lady gets all the thrills of fishing with her daily shopping, when she goes to market in the Thames Valley, England, after a steady rain all summer



Here is one of the last photographs to be taken of the late Henry Cabot Lodge, former U.S. senator from Massachusetts, who died recently following a relapse after a serious operation



Sean O'Ceallaigh, noted Irish worker for the republic, is expected to arrive in the United States soon as envoy from his country. In 1919 he made a famous plea in Paris for the admission of Ireland to the peace conference



The bears in Jasper National Park, Alberta, are not camera-shy. Look how these little fellows continue their play on the log, apparently indifferent to the presence of the cameraman



Miss Elsie Brinn, New York University, '25, is the first girl in the history of the college to be recognized as a champion girl athlete. She was given a gold medal by the Athletic body recently



Queen Alexandra's Christmas card this year will be "The Nativity," painted by Howard Davis
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Two more daughters of New York millionaires have been claimed by the theatrical world. They are Miss Fay Lewison and Miss Louise Straus, who will design and execute costumes for a popular revue



These two football players in a match between a French and English team in Paris had the same idea at the same moment, with the above result. The impact was between the heads and the ball fell free



These ancient cannons once formed the defense of Fort Louisburg, New Brunswick, where they were photographed, but their sting has gone with the advance of modern weapons of war



MARINE and TRANSPORTATION

Patrol Boats Out to Get Malahat's Liquor Cargo

San Francisco Federal Authorities Receive Advice That Victoria Ship Has Left for South With \$2,700,000 Liquor Cargo—Full Description Given Patrol Boats of Liquor Carrier and Close Watch Being Kept—Two More Vancouver Men Surrender

WITH a \$2,700,000 cargo of Scotch whisky, brandies and wines on board, the five-masted auxiliary schooner Malahat, of Victoria, promises to be the next startling seizure to be made in southern waters by the United States Federal authorities.

Special advice from San Francisco states that they have received word regarding the departure of the liquor carrier Malahat for South American ports and will be on the lookout for her when off the United States Pacific Coast.

Has 75,000 Cases
A full description of the vessel has been given all patrol boats and there is every possibility that the vessel will be caught with her 75,000 cases of liquor just as the Quadra was seized. Although bound for South America, it is another question as to whether she will get there, the customs officials declare. It all depends on the sea hazards and liquor trade off the California coast. The schooner has a handpicked crew of Victoria and Vancouver men and every precaution is being taken against seizure.

Secret service men of the United States prohibition enforcement staff are keeping a watchful eye on the Malahat and expect to get her. Attorney Fred R. Anderson, of Vancouver, is a "confessed smuggler."

This was the hot retort hurled by Federal Attorney Carr to charges that Anderson, Canadian attorney and associate counsel in the Quadra, running case, was arrested unlawfully. It was learned yesterday in special advices received here from San Francisco.

"Carr, in a written statement, not only accuses Anderson as a 'confessed smuggler and violator of the laws of this country,' but charges that Anderson's local attorneys are attempting to uncover evidence held by the Government against Anderson and members of the Quadra crew, under indictment on charges of conspiracy to defeat the Volstead Act."

Many charges have been hurled against Anderson and his attorney, prominent among which is that his attorney is endeavoring to uncover

Boxer Returns With Sealskins

SEATTLE, Nov. 20.—The gasoline schooner Boxer, owned and operated by the Alaska branch of the United States Bureau of Education, arrived here today from the Arctic with 18,322 sealskins, valued at \$250,000. The skins came from the Government sealery, at the Bristol Islands, in the Bering Sea, and were picked up by the Boxer at Unalaska, in the Aleutian Islands.

In the Arctic in August the Boxer saved the crews of the gasoline schooners Arctic and Lady Kinderley after these vessels were caught by ice which carried them and their cargoes to destruction.

The evidence in the hands of the Government.

Case Tomorrow

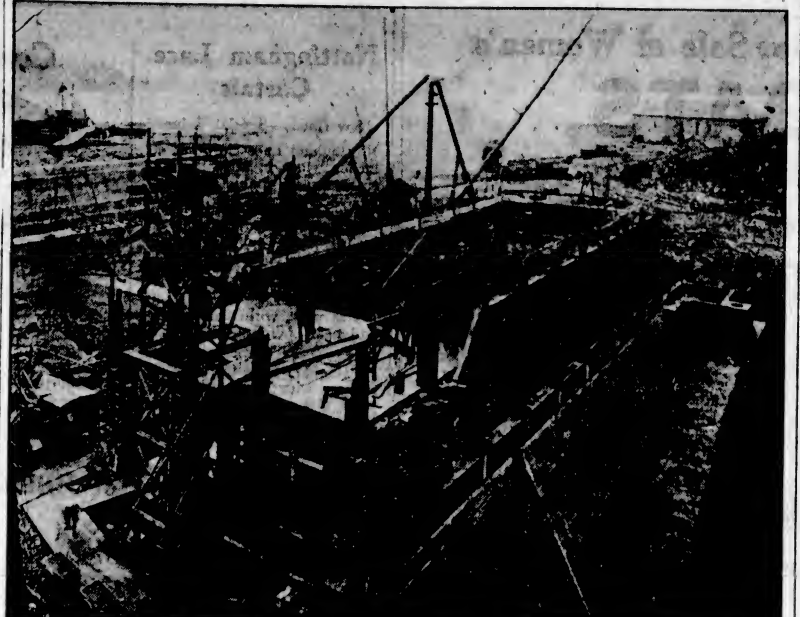
The case has been postponed until tomorrow, the advice goes on to say, by Attorney McNab, Kenneth M. Green, Frank J. Hennessey and Samuel C. Wright, who asked for further time to examine the indictments.

Seizure of the 53-foot fishing vessel Ocean Queen at Point Lobos, ten miles south of Monterey, yesterday, was said by Federal officials yesterday to be one of the connecting links in the Quadra case. No liquor was found aboard the vessel, but three men who were on her are said to have escaped in an automobile. The Ocean Queen, according to customs records, is registered in the name of Pascual Pomeroy, 891 Mission Street.

The skipper, the same records reveal, is said to be E. W. Mainquist. The vessel has been under investigation since 1921, and is accused by the Government of having carried fuel to rum-runners at sea.

Mr. Max H. Heston, of Vancouver, said to be director in the Consolidated Exporters' Corporation, all of whose officers were indicted, has surrendered to the indictment warrant.

Pumphouse Construction Well Advanced



With the concrete framing well advanced, the contractors handling the pumphouse job at the new government drydock located at Skinner's Cove expect to commence installation of machinery early next spring. In the building will be housed the great mechanism which will be capable of emptying the dock of water in a few short hours. This part of the drydock work is expected to be completed by next June.

Will Vigorously Protest Raid on President Grant

Vice-President of Admiral Oriental Line Denounces Raid of Snohomish, Which Shot Across Liner's Bow, Bringing Ship to a Halt in Order to Search for Opium—Claims Customs Officers Had No Evidence—Delayed Transportation of Silk Cargo and Mail

DENOUNCING a spectacular raid by customs officers on the Admiral Oriental liner President Grant off Port Townsend, while she was en route to Seattle from Victoria on Tuesday afternoon, after the big ship had been halted by a shot across her bow from the coastguard cutter Snohomish, Mr. A. F. Haines, vice-president of the Admiral Oriental Line, which operates the Shipping Board vessel, says that vigorous protest will be made to the Treasury department against the methods employed in searching the liner. Particularly he will emphasize the method used to bring the liner to a halt by shooting across the liner's bow.

Mr. Haines says the President Grant, with an 18,000-ton cargo, mails and passengers from the Orient, was unnecessarily delayed aboard, and one-half hour, and much monetary loss incurred, by holding a special silk train which was waiting to rush the liner's valuable silk shipments overland.

Despite the fact that customs officers searched the ship thoroughly on the way up to Seattle, another exhaustive search is being carried on, and searchlights are being played on all sides of the ship during the night to prevent any items dropping overboard without being detected.

INDICTMENTS INCREASE TO 60

Mr. Vincent Quarataro, of the Bohemian Supply Company, Is Latest Addition to the Quadra List

CANADIAN CASE IS SET FOR SATURDAY

First Set of Charges Expected to Be Dismissed Tomorrow—Many Vancouver Men Face Charge

SAN FRANCISCO, Nov. 20.—Mr. Vincent Quarataro, president of the Royal Finance Corporation and the Bohemian Cocktail Supply Company, arrested last week for the violation of the prohibition laws, was indicted today by the federal grand jury as an alleged member of the so-called rum-running conspiracy. Indictments were also returned against fifty-nine others, all of whom previously had been indicted in connection with the seizure here of the steamer Quadra with a large quantity of alleged contraband liquor. These included Mr. F. R. Anderson, prominent Vancouver, B.C., attorney; Mr. Russell Whitlaw, Canadian fruit packer, and Mr. Charles Belanger, who was a director of the Consolidated Exporters' Corporation, who had surrendered himself earlier in the day.

The purpose of the voting of the new indictments against those already accused, it was stated, was solely to include Quarataro in the alleged conspiracy to violate the prohibition laws of the United States. It was also called for on the former set of indictments would be a dismissal of the cases are called on Saturday in the United States district court.

HOPE ENTERTAINED FOR LIEF ERICSSON

FAIRLY MAY HAVE LANDED ON COAST OF LABRADOR

Search, However, for the Vessel and Her Crew of Four Has So Far Been Unsuccessful

HALIFAX, Nov. 20.—Mr. Wm. W. Nutting, New York Journalist, who attempted to sail from Norway to New York in a small boat and has not been heard from for several months, may still be alive, according to a letter received today by The Halifax Echo from Mr. Rufus W. Sweet, of Goldville, Guyborough County, N.S., who has just returned from Greenland where he left Mr. Nutting and party on September 4.

Mr. Sweet believed that the party may have been picked up by some whaling crew or landed on some remote part of Labrador. In either case they would be beyond the reach of wireless and have to wait considerable time before getting in touch with the outside world.

ST. JOHN'S, Nfld., Nov. 20.—A search of the Newfoundland and Labrador coast has failed to reveal a trace of the little auxiliary sailing craft, Lief Ericsson, in which Mr. William Washburn Nutting, of New York, and three companions set out last summer for Bergen, Norway, to follow the Vikings' course to America.

Nutting's companions were John Todahl, a marine painter, and a Norwegian.

Hibben's Xmas Sale draws the gift seekers. Entire stock (excepting Waterman Fountain Pens) on a bargain counter.

CRUISES TO THE WEST INDIES

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wegian writer whose name is not known here, also Arthur K. Hildebrand, a writer.

ESTEVAN STATION CREATES RECORD

Longest Distance That Estevan Has Reached Yet—Over 4,000 Miles—After Further Achievements

For the second time this year the Estevan wireless station has displayed its ability at long-distance communication. Some months ago this powerful station kept in touch with the Canadian Pacific liner Empress of Australia to within 30 miles of Yokohama harbor.

Now comes the report from the most powerful station on the West Coast that Estevan has kept constant communication with this liner from the day of her departure from Victoria until she reached Yokohama. The Empress of Australia wireless station on Tuesday at 5 p.m. that she was leaving for Kobe.

Mr. J. Bowerman, of the Estevan station, received the message, which is the most distant message that has ever been received at that station. For many months special efforts have been made to maintain touch with the Australia's wireless across the Pacific, but up till some months ago the best that could be done was within fifty miles of the Japanese coast.

Estevan station now entertains hopes of even establishing communication with the liner as far as Shanghai. This may seem an almost impossible accomplishment, but in view of the recent achievement, which at the outset seemed almost absurd, is quite possible. There is no reason that communication should not be established with the Chinese port, especially when it is made known that Estevan possesses one of the most powerful wireless stations on this coast as far south as San Francisco.

COASTWISE STEAMER WITHDRAWN FROM RUN

Dorothy Alexander Tied Up at San Francisco—Ruth and Emma Alexander to Maintain Schedule

Decline in coastwise traffic has forced the Admiral line to lay up their steamer Dorothy Alexander, which has arrived in the South. This makes two of the company's vessels now tied up for the winter months.

The schedule of the Dorothy is to be taken by a smaller ship, the Admiral Schley, sailing from this port on November 23 for Seattle, Tacoma and Everett, but not touching at Victoria as was called for on the former schedule. The steamer Curacao is to be placed on the Portland run, taking the place left by the Admiral Schley.

CANOE ADVENTURE IN SECOND STAGE

CALAIS, France, Nov. 20.—Mr. G. H. G. Smythe, of Toronto, who mastered the stormy waters of the English Channel in his frail canoe a few days ago after almost losing his life, is now on his way to the second stage of his adventure, leaving today for Rome on the second stage of his paddling trip from London to the Italian capital for a bet of \$10,000. He resumed his journey on the Rumer Canal, going down through the department of Pas-de-Calais to Paris, then via Dijon, Lyons and Marseille to Monte Carlo. After a short stay at the famous gambling resort, he will paddle down the Tiber to the last stage of his trip which took him from Nova Scotia, Canada.

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St. John	London	Dec. 12	10:00 a.m.
St. John	London	Dec. 19	10:00 a.m.

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Triple Killing Found In Spokane Home

SPokane, Nov. 20.—A triple killing, supposed to have occurred yesterday, was disclosed by the police here today when the bodies of Geo. Howard, aged twenty-four, and Mrs. Carrie MacKinnon, thirty-five, were found in a rooming house, and the body of Howard's wife, aged thirty, was found in a hotel room. All were negroes. Officers believe Howard killed his wife and then Mrs. MacKinnon and himself.

Ocean and Coastwise Movements

VESSEL MOVEMENTS
SAN FRANCISCO, Nov. 20.—Arrived: President Munroe, New York; Charles Christensen, Seattle; Canadian Farmer, Ocean Falls; Doris Crane, Fanning Island; Electrician, Glasgow; Gray's Harbor, Gray's Harbor; Providence, Seattle; Ed. Kinley, Vancouver; Elorido, Seattle; Vulcan, Coos Bay; D. G. Scofield, San Pedro.

TACOMA, Nov. 20.—Arrived: Yonah, Yonah; Koko, Koko; Hawaii Maru, Port Ludlow; Salado, Viking; West Nilus, Seattle; Philoctetes, Manila; London Shipper, Liverpool.

Arrived
PHILADELPHIA, Nov. 20.—El Abeto, Seattle.
KOBE, Nov. 18.—Hall Gynn, Seattle.
LIVERPOOL, Nov. 20.—Pearl Shell, San Pedro.
KOBE, Nov. 18.—President Jackson, Seattle.
SOUTHAMPTON, Nov. 20.—Canadian Transporter, Tacoma.

Sailed
YOKOHAMA, Nov. 20.—Africa Maru, Seattle.
NEW YORK, Nov. 20.—Kroonland, William Rockefeller, San Francisco.
YOKOHAMA, Nov. 18.—Shidzuoka, Seattle.

COASTWISE SAILINGS
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C.P.R. Vessels: 2:15 p.m. and 11:45 p.m., daily.
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C.P.R. Vessels: 4:30 p.m., daily.
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To Port Angeles
SS. Bol Duo: 10:15 a.m., daily, except Sundays.
To West Coast
SS. Princess Maquinna: 11:00 p.m., on 1st, 10th and 20th of each month.

TRANS-PACIFIC MAILS
NOVEMBER
China and Japan
President Jackson—Mails close Nov. 4, 4 p.m. Due Yokohama Nov. 19; Shanghai, Nov. 24; Hong Kong, Nov. 29.
Empress of Canada—Mails close Nov. 6, 4 p.m. Due Yokohama Nov. 19; Shanghai, Nov. 24; Hong Kong, Nov. 29.

Arabia Maru—Mails close Nov. 4, 4 p.m. Due Yokohama Nov. 19; Shanghai, Nov. 24; Hong Kong, Nov. 29.
President Jefferson—Mails close Nov. 14, 4 p.m. Due Yokohama Nov. 28; Shanghai, Dec. 2; Hong Kong, Dec. 7.

Empress of Asia—Mails close Nov. 20, 4 p.m. Due Yokohama Dec. 2; Shanghai, Dec. 9; Hong Kong, Dec. 14.
Hawaii Maru—Mails close Nov. 22, 4 p.m. Due Yokohama Dec. 6; Shanghai, Dec. 11; Hong Kong, Dec. 16.

Empress of Canada—Mails close Dec. 5, 4 p.m. Due Yokohama Dec. 17; Shanghai, Dec. 21; Hong Kong, Dec. 26.
Australia and New Zealand
Teiki—Mails close Nov. 2, 4 p.m. Due San Francisco, Dec. 14; Sydney, Nov. 28.
Sierra—Mails close Nov. 15, 4 p.m. Due San Francisco, Dec. 27; Sydney, Dec. 31.

Niagara—Mails close Nov. 18, 4 p.m. Direct. Due Auckland Dec. 13; Sydney, Dec. 13.
Maunganui—Mails close Nov. 30, 4 p.m. Due San Francisco, Dec. 14; Sydney, Dec. 28; Wellington, Dec. 31.

COOK AGENCY PLAN VACATION CRUISE

MR. FRANK BEW, WESTERN REPRESENTATIVE, HERE

Tuscani Next Make Cruise to Mediterranean Will Summer Mr. F. O. Finn. Book World Cruise Party

Another big cruise has been arranged by Thomas Cook & Son, famous tourist agency, it was stated by Mr. Frank Bew, Western Canadian representative, who was in the city yesterday visiting Mr. F. O. Finn, local agent for the Chicago, Milwaukee and St. Paul Railway.

"We consider this cruise one of the most extraordinary offers for a Summer vacation for those of scholastic professions, for students, and for the class of passengers who are fortunate enough to be able to obtain their vacation periods filling to the limit of this wonderful cruise," he said to The Colonist.

We also have other cruises planned, prominent among which are the round-the-world cruise of the Cunard liner Franconia, leaving New York on January 22, Eastbound; and the Homer, of the White Star line, on a cruise to Madeira, Spain and Mediterranean countries, leaving New York on January 24.

Mr. Finn, who does considerable booking with the Thomas Cook & Son agency, has said that one of the biggest round-the-world cruise parties that has left Victoria for some time. He booked Mr. and Mrs. R. T. Chave, Master Cyril Chave, Miss Muriel Chave and Mr. Elmer Chave on a round-the-world cruise. They left on the President Jefferson last Sunday, and after arriving at Hong Kong will be under the special direction of Thomas Cook & Son's agency for the remainder of the journey. This agency has offices in every big city in the world.

NOTICE TO MARINERS
Mariners are hereby notified that the conical buoy marking Buchholz Rock, South Arm, Quatsino Sound, B.C., is reported afloat from its position. This buoy will be replaced as soon as possible.

Belgenland Is Floated Again

ANTWERP, Nov. 20.—After being on a mudbank in the Scheldt since early this morning, eight tug boats succeeded in dislodging the Red Star Line passenger steamer Belgenland.

SHIPPING INFORMATION

REMARKS AND REMARKS
Time of sunrise and sunset (Pacific Standard Time) at Victoria, B.C., for the month of November, 1924:

Date	Time	Time	Time	Time	Time	Time	Time
1	4:48	4:44	18	7:24	4:33	18	7:24
2	4:47	4:43	19	7:23	4:32	19	7:23
3	4:46	4:42	20	7:22	4:31	20	7:22
4	4:45	4:41	21	7:21	4:30	21	7:21
5	4:44	4:40	22	7:20	4:29	22	7:20
6	4:43	4:39	23	7:19	4:28	23	7:19
7	4:42	4:38	24	7:18	4:27	24	7:18
8	4:41	4:37	25	7:17	4:26	25	7:17
9	4:40	4:36	26	7:16	4:25	26	7:16
10	4:39	4:35	27	7:15	4:24	27	7:15
11	4:38	4:34	28	7:14	4:23	28	7:14
12	4:37	4:33	29	7:13	4:22	29	7:13
13	4:36	4:32	30	7:12	4:21	30	7:12
14	4:35	4:31	31	7:11	4:20	31	7:11

The Meteorological Observatory, Gonzales Heights, Victoria, B.C.

TIDES AT VICTORIA

H	M	H	M	H	M	H	M	H	M
1	8:33	7.1	11:12	7.1	13:51	7.1	16:30	7.1	19:09
2	8:32	7.1	11:11	7.1	13:50	7.1	16:29	7.1	19:08
3	8:31	7.1	11:10	7.1	13:49	7.1	16:28	7.1	19:07
4	8:30	7.1	11:09	7.1	13:48	7.1	16:27	7.1	19:06
5	8:29	7.1	11:08	7.1	13:47	7.1	16:26	7.1	19:05
6	8:28	7.1	11:07	7.1	13:46	7.1	16:25	7.1	19:04
7	8:27	7.1	11:06	7.1	13:45	7.1	16:24	7.1	19:03
8	8:26	7.1	11:05	7.1	13:44	7.1	16:23	7.1	19:02
9	8:25	7.1	11:04	7.1	13:43	7.1	16:22	7.1	19:01
10	8:24	7.1	11:03	7.1	13:42	7.1	16:21	7.1	19:00
11	8:23	7.1	11:02	7.1	13:41	7.1	16:20	7.1	18:59
12	8:22	7.1	11:01	7.1	13:40	7.1	16:19	7.1	18:58
13	8:21	7.1	11:00	7.1	13:39	7.1	16:18	7.1	18:57
14	8:20	7.1	10:59	7.1	13:38	7.1	16:17	7.1	18:56
15	8:19	7.1	10:58	7.1	13:37	7.1	16:16	7.1	18:55
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19	8:15	7.1	10:54	7.1	13:33	7.1	16:12	7.1	18:51
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22	8:12	7.1	10:51	7.1	13:30	7.1	16:09	7.1	18:48
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SUPERIOR VALUES

Women's and Misses' Apparel

Good Values on the First Floor



Continuing Our Sale of Women's

COATS

Today and Saturday

\$11.75, \$16.95 and \$19.75

Tailored Coats, "Utility" styles, made of excellent grade polo cloth and tweeds. They are in belted effect, with convertible collar, patch or slash pockets, strap sleeves, and trimmed with leather buttons. Each coat is half lined with good material, and the sizes range from 16 to 44. The coats are stylish in appearance, and wonderful value. Regular to \$25.00. On sale for..... **\$11.75**

Blanket Velour Coats, made with belted waist, side tie or button fastening; trimmed with cable stitching or buttons, and have beaverine collars or collars and cuffs. Fully lined, and in shades brown, cinnamon, navy, sand and fawn. On sale, each..... **\$16.95**

Cut Velour Coats, made in straight lines, with one button fastening, convertible double collar and half lined; also Utility styles in velour, with inverted back pleat, tailored collars and straps on sleeves and buckled belt. They are half lined, and in sizes 16 to 44. Shades brown, taupe and grey. On sale, each..... **\$19.75**

—Mantle Dept., 1st Floor

Women's Boudoir and House Slippers

Felt Juliet Slippers, with leather soles and heels; in taupe, brown or black. A pair..... **\$1.95**

Packard's "Gem" Boudoir Slippers, with pompon and rubber heels; shown in black, old rose, brown or grey. Special, a pair..... **\$1.45**

Felt Cosy Slippers, with soft padded soles, in all colors. A pair..... **\$1.00**

Leather Sole Felt Slippers, in saxe, fawn, claret and black. A pair..... **\$1.00**

English Camel Hair Slippers, in plaid or plain red designs. A pair..... **\$1.95**

Velvet Slippers, leather soles and heels; in saxe, old rose, claret, grey and black. A pair..... **\$1.25**

—Women's Shoes, 1st Floor

An Unusually Good Assortment of Nightgowns

Crepe Gowns of plain and novelty fabrics, trimmed with hand-embroidery and hem-stitching. Dainty pastel shades. At **\$1.75, \$1.95 and \$2.25**

Gowns of flesh, orchid and honeydew, with lace trimmed and hand-embroidered fronts, hem-stitched neck and sleeves. Each..... **\$2.50, \$2.95 and \$3.50**

Hand-Made Gowns of fine white nainsook, in shades honeydew, flesh and white. They are finished with drawn and embroidered fronts; the neck and sleeves trimmed with hand-drawn work. Excellent value at **\$3.25 and \$3.75**

Hand-Made Gowns of white nainsook, "Dove" brand. The square neck and sleeves are finished with scalloped edge; hand-drawn and embroidered fronts in new designs. Selling at..... **\$4.95 and \$5.25**

—Wholesale, 1st Floor

Cardigan Sweaters and Chappie Coats

Chappie Coats, "Universal" brand; in all-over brush wool style. The sleeves are long and tight. The collar fastens at neck. The coats are buttoned at side, and shades are pearl and fawn; sizes 36 to 44. Selling at..... **\$4.95**

Cardigan Sweaters, all-wool, with plain back and sleeves and novelty brush wool fronts in contrasting shades. They have two pockets and five buttons. Also plain knit Cardigans with plain back and sleeves and striped fronts in contrasting colors. Shades are fawn with brown; sizes 36 to 40. Each..... **\$5.75**

All-Wool Cardigans in ribbed or brushed wool effects. Some plain and neatly finished with contrasting colors on pockets and cuffs. Others of medium weight, in two-tone effects, with two pockets and four-button fasteners. Sizes 40 to 42. Each..... **\$7.50**

All-Wool Chappie Coats, "Universal" brand; made in ribbed style, with collar and bell sleeves. They are finished with silk braid and button at side; shades are pearl and fawn; sizes 34 to 42. On sale, each..... **\$9.50**

—Sweaters, 1st Floor

Silks on Sale Today

36-Inch Wash Satin, a fine soft material, suitable for lingerie, etc. In pink and white only. A yard..... **\$1.98**

36-Inch Black Moire, a wonderfully soft finish moire, makes a splendid dress. Yard..... **\$2.75**

36-Inch Chiffon Velvet, of good wearing quality, with a close pile and handsome sheen. A yard..... **\$3.95**

38-Inch Sykshen, all-silk, of very durable quality; suitable for dresses or lingerie. At a yard..... **\$1.95**

38-Inch Baronette Satin, has a brilliant sheen and makes a handsome dress. Shown in black and white only. A yard..... **\$2.95**

—Silks, Main Floor

Cluny, Filet and Irish Hand-Made Laces

Hand-Made Cluny Lace, suitable for handkerchiefs, lingerie, etc. Priced from, a yard, **7¢ to 99¢**

Hand-Made Filet Lace, 1/2-inch wide. At a yard..... **10¢**

34-Inch wide. A yard..... **19¢**

Rose Pattern, 1-inch wide. A yard..... **29¢**

Rose Pattern, other widths. From, a yard, **39¢ to 98¢**

Hand-Made Irish Lace, picot edge. At a yard..... **15¢**

Shamrock design, a yard..... **20¢**

Shamrock design, 1 inch wide. A yard, **69¢**

4 Inches wide. A yard..... **\$1.49**

Frisled Val Lace and Insertion

New Frisled Val Lace and Insertion combined, in very dainty designs.

1-Inch wide. A yard..... **20¢**

1 1/4 Inches wide. A yard..... **25¢**

2 Inches wide. A yard..... **35¢**

4 Inches wide. A yard..... **50¢**

New Corset Cover Laces with beading. Special, a yard..... **25¢ and 35¢**

—Laces, Main Floor

The Season's Best Offerings in WOMEN'S GLOVES

Fleece-Lined Mocha Gloves, one dome regulation style. A comfortable glove, fleece-lined throughout. In brown or grey. A pair..... **\$1.75**

Suede Fabric Gloves of heavy superfine quality; two dome, regulation length. A washable glove in grey, sand, heaver, brown, black. Very special, a pair..... **65¢**

Fur-Lined Fabric Gauntlet Gloves of beautiful quality. The cuffs and wrists are lined with fur, the fingers lined with fleece. One dome strap fastener. A perfect fitting glove. A pair..... **\$2.50**

Perrin's Cape Skin Gauntlet Gloves. Have wide cuff with contrasting gusset, one dome strap fastener. In grey only. A pair..... **\$2.50**

Perrin's Fleece-Lined Gauntlet Gloves of heavy quality Cape skin, with wide flare cuff and strap fastener. In brown only..... **\$3.25**

Perrin's Cape Skin Gloves, regulation one-dome style; of good weight and quality. Shown in brown or grey. A pair..... **\$1.75**

Perrin's Novelty Cape Skin Gloves, with turn-back cuffs in novelty contrasting effect; heavy silk embroidered points. Shown in brown, grey and heaver. A pair..... **\$3.50**

Perrin's Mocha Gauntlet Gloves, with contrasting gusset, two-tone silk embroidered points. In grey or brown. A pair..... **\$3.50**

Novelty Cape Skin Gauntlet Gloves of Perrin make, with suede turn-back cuff, pearl buckle, strap fastener, two-tone embroidered points. Shown in brown, mode and grey. A pair..... **\$4.75**

Brush Wool Gauntlets of beautiful soft finish, with deep cuff, seamless fingers and contrasting stripe on cuffs. Shown in new heather mixtures. A pair..... **\$1.25**

Brush Wool Gauntlets, with wide deep cuffs in plain or fancy effects; knit seamless fingers. Shown in shades of cocoa, camel, grey, russet, heaver, mole and champagne. A pair..... **98¢**

Women's Pure Wool Gauntlet Gloves of good weight and quality; plain or leather mixtures, with plain or stripe cuff. A splendid value at pair..... **79¢**

Women's Knit Wrist Gloves in regulation style. Shown in all the popular shades. A pair..... **59¢**

Children's Gauntlet Gloves, direct from the Scottish mills. They have seamless fingers, and are of beautiful finish brush wool. A pair..... **59¢**

Children's Knit Wrist Gloves, heavy weight, well made, neat fitting, and ideal for school wear. Shown in assorted heather shades. Pair..... **60¢**

—Gloves, Main Floor

Girls' Navy Blue Cardigans, \$4.75

Navy Blue Cardigans for girls, of fine quality brushed wool, with two patch pockets, turn-back cuff and neat five-button fastening. Sizes for 4 to 14 years. A great value at **\$4.75**

—Children's Wear, 1st Floor

Excellent Values From Weiler's Stock in This Selection

Nottingham Lace Curtains

New Goods—Special Values

Nottingham Lace Curtains, 40 inches wide; in attractive designs, with double borders; 2 1/2 yards long. A pair..... **\$2.35**

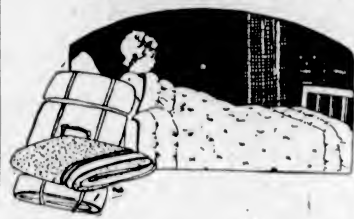
Nottingham Lace Curtains, 40 inches wide; superior grade with double border; 2 1/2 yards long. A pair..... **\$2.05**

Nottingham Lace Curtains, 40 inches wide, with plain centre and neat border; 2 1/2 yards long. A pair..... **\$3.35**

Nottingham Lace Curtains, 39 inches wide; ecri only. A plain filet net with decorated border. A pair..... **\$3.65**

—Drapery, 2nd Floor

Comforters—The Best Values



Comforters, covered with English and French cambrics and fine satens. Colorings and designs to suit all bedrooms and color schemes. Some of Weiler's stock at bargain prices.

Down Comforters, covered with excellent grade English fancy cambric; filled with pure down and ventilated. Size 60 by 72. On sale, each..... **\$6.95**

Comforters in a wide selection. Excellent values at..... **\$12.75 and \$9.75**

Comforters, covered with beautifully designed materials. On sale for **\$19.50 and \$23.50**

Comforters of excellent grade and rich appearance. At **\$25.75 and \$20.75**

Comforter Covers, with which to cover your own favorite comforters. Loose covers in a variety of designs and colorings; English make. Two qualities and excellent value at..... **\$4.95 and \$7.95**

—Staple Dept., Main Floor

A Large Selection of Brilliant CUT GLASS

Some Excellent Values From Weiler's Stock

7-Piece Water Sets, four designs to select from. Specially priced at..... **\$5.00**

Cut Glass Vases. Great values at..... **\$1.50**

Cut Glass Salad Sets with servers..... **\$3.95**

Cut Glass Bonbon Dishes with handles..... **\$2.95**

Cut Glass Lemonade Sets, 7 pieces, with covered jug; pretty floral design..... **\$12.00 and \$15.00**

Berry Bowls in rich design. Excellent value at..... **\$5.00**

Cut Glass Mustard Pots. Special value, each..... **\$1.50**

Large Size Berry Bowls, very brilliant. Specially priced at..... **\$10.00**

Heavy 7-Piece Cut Glass Water Sets. Specially priced at..... **\$25.00**

Cut Glass Butter Tubs, excellent value at..... **\$3.50, \$4.00, \$6.50 and \$7.00**

Cut Glass Water Bottles, pretty designs at..... **\$7.25**

Cut Glass Celery Trays, special at..... **\$5.50 and \$6.00**

Sugars and Creams, beautifully cut. A pair..... **\$3.00 to \$5.00**

Cut Glass Salts and Peppers, with glass screw tops; **75¢, \$1.00 and \$1.50**

—Lower Main Floor

Dining-Room Furniture From Weiler's Stock

A Nine-Piece Walnut Suite of dining-room furniture, consisting of 72-inch buffet, large size china cabinet, extension table and set of chairs. Weiler's price, \$575.00. Our Price..... **\$375.00**

A Nine-Piece Solid Oak Dining-Room Suite, consisting of 66-inch buffet, large china cabinet, extension table and six chairs. Weiler's price, \$350.00. On sale for..... **\$225.00**

1 Only, Set of Quartered Oak Diners, fumed finish, in heavy Colonial design, with genuine leather slip seats. Weiler's price, \$95.00. Our Price..... **\$55.00**

1 Only, Set of Quartered Oak Diners, golden finish, with full leather slip seats. Weiler's price, \$55.00. Our Price..... **\$39.00**

1 Only, Walnut Buffet with low back, two short and one long drawers and two cupboard compartments. Weiler's price, \$110.00. Our Price..... **\$75.00**

—Furniture, 2nd Floor

Flannelettes of Best Grade and Great Values

Horrocks' Stripe Flannelette, in choice new designs. A yard..... **39¢**

Flannelette in Fall weight and well fleeced; wide width, new stripes. A yard..... **45¢**

Fine Grade Flannelette, in new stripes and checks and plain shades. For children's wear. Great value, a yard..... **25¢**

New Twill "Saxtonette," excellent English grade; 36 inches wide and in sky, mauve and pink. A yard, **65¢**

All-White English-Made Flannelette, new deliveries. 29-Inch, a yard..... **29¢**

35-Inch, a yard..... **35¢**

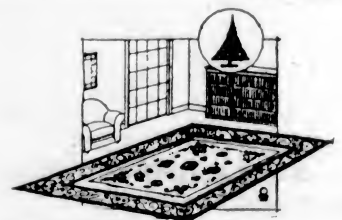
36-Inch, a yard..... **40¢, 45¢ and 50¢**

36-Inch Heavy Twill, a yard..... **65¢**

30-Inch, a yard..... **25¢**

34-Inch, fine grade; a yard, **40¢, 45¢, 50¢ and 55¢**

—Staple Dept., Main Floor



Weiler's Rugs of Superior Quality

1 Only, Hand Tuft Smyrna Axminster Rug, 13 ft. 5 in. by 8 ft. 2 in. A beautiful design on a fawn ground in Oriental colors. Weiler's price, \$200.00. Our Sale Price..... **\$130.00**

1 Smyrna Hearthrug to match above, 6 ft. 5 in. by 3 ft. 4 in. Weiler's price, \$37.50. Our Price..... **\$27.50**

1 English Seamless Wilton Rug, 9 ft. by 10 ft. 6 in.; a beautiful quality one-piece rug in fawn ground with fine design in soft Persian colors of blue and rose. Weiler's price, \$135.00. Our Price..... **\$95.00**

3 English Seamless Axminster Rugs, of better quality, in fine designs. Weiler's price, \$65.00. Our Sale Price..... **\$49.50**

1 Perso Wilton, 6 ft. 9 in. by 9 ft., of superior quality, in a pleasing design. Weiler's price, \$60.00. Our Price..... **\$45.00**

—Carpets, 2nd Floor

MEN'S SUITS

Our Best Makes, Values \$35.00 and \$40.00 Offered for

\$29.75

High-Grade Suits for Men or Young Men, superbly tailored and trimmed. All the latest shades and patterns are shown, and the styles include single and double-breasted models, one-button, pleated and fancy backs. Just such Suits as are worn every day by men who dress distinctively always. They are sure to please, and will fit well. Values \$35.00 and \$40.00. To go at..... **\$29.75**

—Men's Clothing, Main Floor



IN THE MEN'S FURNISHINGS

Men's Silk Socks for dress wear. A real silk surface and reinforced sole; grey, brown, camel or black. Very special value, a pair..... **75¢**

British-Made All-Wool Cashmere Socks, "Rameses" brand; grey, brown, camel. Special, a pair..... **50¢**

All-Wool Cashmere Socks, made in England; black and colors with contrasting silk embroidered stripes. Special, a pair..... **75¢**

Men's Heavy Silk Ties, will not crease or tear. Shown in brocades or fancy stripes. Each..... **\$1.00**

Silk Ties, in brocades, plain colors and fancy stripes. Special..... **75¢ and \$1.25**

Each Tie Put Up in Presentation Box

Shirts of Fast Color, woven cloths in which the color goes right through. Shown in neat stripes of blue, black or mauve on a white ground. Each..... **\$2.25**

The New Powder Blue and White Stripe Shirts, with separate collar to match, as worn by the Prince of Wales. At..... **\$2.25**

Genuine English Broadcloth Shirts, as good as silk; shown in plain colors or white. The "Princely" brand; is in tailored finish; looks well and wears well. All sizes at..... **\$2.05**

Work Shirts of dark grey tweed mixture, made with collar and pocket. Will withstand hard wear. Special at..... **\$1.35**

Men's Grey or Navy Blue Cotton Stripe Work Shirts, with collar and pocket. Collar may be turned and an ordinary collar worn. Each..... **\$1.50**

Men's Grey Flannel Shirts, wool mixture; heavy weight, with collar and pocket. Special..... **\$2.00**

Men's Khaki Flannel Shirts, with high collar and loops; heavy wool mixture. Each..... **\$2.25**

Men's Khaki, Light or Dark Grey or Navy Blue Flannel Shirts, for warmth or comfort. They have collar and pocket, cut large in body and well made. Special..... **\$2.50**

—Men's Furnishings, Main Floor